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The High Court of Karnataka has set aside the direction issued by the State government on the instruction of Medical Education Minister to deputy commissioners of districts to inspect every nursing institutes in their jurisdiction. » Page 5

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India repels Pak. strikes for second day

- Blackout in several places of J&K, Punjab, Rajasthan as sirens blare along the border
- Pakistan shelling kills 3 civilians in J&K; Modi chairs high-level security meeting
- BSF kills seven terrorists while foiling an infiltration attempt along LoC in Jammu

Dinakar Peri
Vijaita Singh
Peerzada Ashiq
NEW DELHI/SRINAGAR

Blackout measures were put in place in several parts of Jammu and Kashmir, Punjab, and Rajasthan on Friday as Pakistan continued to violate Indian airspace for the second consecutive day. Sirens blared and areas on the western border went dark as Indian armed forces used air defence mechanisms to thwart armed drone and missile attacks from Pakistan.

Drones, including suspected armed ones, were sighted at 26 locations ranging from Baramulla in J&K to Bhuj in Gujarat, the Indian Army said.

An armed drone targeted a civilian area in Ferozpur in Punjab resulting in severe injuries to members of a local family, an Army official said. Citizens, especially in border areas, were advised to remain indoors, limit unnecessary movement, and strictly follow safety instructions issued by local authorities. "While there is no need for panic, heightened vigilance and precaution are essential," the official said.

J&K Chief Minister Omar Abdullah on Friday evening urged people of Jammu to "stay off the streets and stay at home", as blasts echoed in the city. The Chief Minister said there were "intermittent sounds of blasts, probably heavy artillery".

Infiltration attempt

On Thursday, hundreds of drones that swarmed Indian skies were shot down and late in the evening, the Border Security Force (BSF) foiled an infiltration attempt along the border in the Samba sector of J&K, killing at least seven terrorists, an official said.

One woman and two students were killed in J&K as Pakistan resorted to heavy calibre mortar shelling in villages along the Line of Control (LoC)on Thursday night and Friday morning.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi chaired a high-level meeting at his residence on Friday, attended by Defence Minister Rajnath Singh, National Security Adviser Ajit Doval, Chief of Defence Staff General Anil Chauhan, Air Chief Marshal A.P. Singh, Army chief General Upendra Dwivedi, Navy chief Admiral D.K. Tripathi, and Tapan Kumar Deka, Director, Intelligence Bureau.

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Safe hands: Civilians from the Razarwani area of Uri in J&K being shifted in a police vehicle to a safer location on Friday. IMRAN NISSAR

'Pak. used 400 drones, possibly from Turkiye'

Dinakar Peri
NEW DELHI

Pakistan attempted drone intrusions at 36 locations from Leh to Sir Creek with approximately 300 to 400 drones on Thursday night, Wing Commander Vyomika Singh said at a media briefing on Friday. Pakistan also attempted to target the Bhatinda military station with an armed Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV), which was "detected and neutralised", she added.

In response, Indian armed forces launched strikes on four air defence sites in Pakistan. An air defence radar was destroyed by one of them, Wing Commander Singh said.

The drones were possibly of Turkish origin, likely to test Indian air defences, Wing Commander Singh said while accusing Pakistan of using civil airliners as a "shield".

'Cowardly actions'

Terming the intrusions "cowardly actions", Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri said these "provocative and escalatory" actions by Pakistan were targeted at Indian cities and civilian infrastructure, in addition to some military targets. "The Indian armed forces responded proportionately, adequately, and responsibly," he added.

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The Hindu Huddle begins with focus on border threats

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

The fifth edition of *The Hindu* Huddle, organised by The Hindu Group, kicked off on a strong note on Friday here, highlighting critical issues relating to India's ongoing defence of its borders and national security challenges. Former National Security Adviser M.K. Narayanan and former Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations T.S. Tirumurti discussed the options available to India under the threat posed by Pakistan, drawing upon their years of experience in the higher echelons of government.

Telangana Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy joined the event as a keynote speaker.

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Basking on the bank

Leisure stroll: A herd of elephants graze on the shores of the Kabini backwaters in Mysuru district on Thursday. M.A. SRIRAM

Fees for govt. quota seats for engg. courses in private colleges up by 7.5%

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

Fees for government quota seats in engineering and architecture courses in private unaided technical educational institutions will go up by 7.5% for the academic year 2025-26.

The decision was taken at a fee fixation meeting, chaired by M.C. Sudhakar, Minister for Higher and Education, with representatives of private professional college managements, including Karnataka Unaided Private Engineering Colleges Association (KUPECA), and other technical educational institutions and office bearers, on Friday.

M.C. Sudhakar

Private technical educational institutions had demanded 15% to 20% fee hike, to which the government said it could be between 7% and 8%. Though the association representatives tried to convince the Minister citing pay hike, infrastructure improvement expenditure, maintenance and quality, Dr. Sudhakar was firm in his decision.

After a long discussion, a consensus was finally reached to increase the fee by 7.5% on last year's fee.

Demand

Speaking to *The Hindu*, Dr. Sudhakar said, "Private college managements have been demanding 15% to 20% fee hike to pay salaries to the teaching and non-teaching staff as per the Seventh Pay Commission and develop infrastructure and others. However, last year too, a 10% fee hike was allowed. Therefore, this time, 7.5% fee hike has been allowed so as not to burden students, and the managements have agreed to this."

With the 7.5% hike, without university registration and other processing fee, the fee will be ₹1,14,199 for CET seats (government quota) in type-1 private colleges. In COMED-K type-1 colleges, it will be ₹2,00,070 and ₹2,81,088 in type-2 colleges.

However, the fees in government and aided engineering colleges will remain the same as that of last year.

In 2024-25, the fee for government quota seats in private engineering colleges was ₹1,06,231. In COMED-K type-1 college it was ₹ 1,86,111 and ₹2,61,477 for type-2 colleges.

Govt. mulls over placing caste census report before local bodies for a month to ratify numbers

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

The State government is considering holding wider consultations on the Socio Economic and Educational Survey (popularly called caste census) report by putting up the findings and recommendations before the urban and rural local bodies for about a month and get the numbers ratified.

"During this period, the government is planning to receive objections and feedback on the findings of the survey. Based on the feedback, the survey recommendation could be placed before the legislature for discussion," government sources said.

H.K. Patil

Some Ministers, according to the sources, are of the opinion that Karnataka should await the outcome of the caste census announced as part of the general census by the Union government, expected to start in 2026.

"The opinion is that justice cannot be served to all communities with the Karnataka data that is 10 years old.

Apprehension has been expressed about the possible gap between the 2015 survey data and the data that would be captured during the general census. If there are huge discrepancies in the data, it could be held against the Congress government during elections," the sources said.

Pushed to next meeting

Meanwhile, the Cabinet discussed the caste census report, submitted by the Karnataka State Commission for Backward Classes, on Friday. During the next Cabinet meeting the issue will be discussed in detail, as additional information has been provided to Ministers.

Pending cases

The Ministers have been informed about seven cases pertaining to backward classes quota and caste census that are pending in higher courts.

It is learnt that about a dozen Cabinet Ministers have given their opinion in writing on the survey recommendation, as sought by Chief Minister Siddaramaiah.

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Different numbers

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

A note prepared by the Karnataka Backward Classes Department shows a decline in the population of Muslims from the 2011 General Census to the 2015 Socio-Economic and Educational Survey.

The 2015 survey shows the population of Muslims as 76,98,425 or about 12.87% of the State's population in comparison with 78,93,065 or about 12.91% in the 2011 Census.

Govt. to notify GBG Act on May 15, paving the way for restructuring BBMP

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

The stage is set for the restructuring of the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP), with the State government scheduled to issue a notification enforcing the Greater Bengaluru Governance Act (GBGA), 2024, on May 15.

With the implementation of this Act, the BBMP – currently governed under the BBMP Act, 2021 – will cease to exist in its present legal form. However, a civic body under the same nomenclature will continue to govern the city. A new Administrator will be appointed to oversee the further splitting of the BBMP, likely into three or five corporations.

A new Administrator will be appointed to oversee the splitting of the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike.

"The GBG Act will be notified on May 15. The notification will contain details as to how the Act will be implemented further," Law and Parliamentary Affairs Minister H.K. Patil told presspersons. When asked how many corporations would be notified, he refused to specify a number. The Act provides for creation of up to seven corporations.

A senior official from the Urban Development Department confirmed that the new BBMP will function under the provisions of the new Act.

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REUTERS

Smells like teen spirit: prodigies, prodigals and everything in between

Just 14, Vaibhav Suryavanshi has dropped jaws with his ability to destroy established bowlers on the big stage. But — as cautionary tales from the past attest — the life of a wonderkid isn't straightforward. The left-hander must be supported with sensitive, intelligent guidance to give him every opportunity of fulfilling his potential

Vivek Krishnan

Over the past few weeks, a question has popped up in the minds of many players, commentators and fans associated with cricket: What were we doing when we were 14?

Serious reflection may elicit a variety of interesting responses. But the brief purpose of this rhetorical query is to highlight the point that none of us was bludgeoning world-class bowlers and bringing up 35-ball centuries under the piercing gaze of vast audiences in the Indian Premier League.

Defying conventional logic

At an age when most boys, experiencing puberty and perhaps a phase of teenage rebellion, are prone to glibly conjuring up a new career path every month, Vaibhav Suryavanshi is a professional cricketer defying conventional logic in the world's biggest T20 league. Frankly, for a large majority of us, even to dream along these lines would be beyond the realms of possibility.

In Suryavanshi's adolescent life – let it sink in that he belongs to a generation even more nascent than Gen-Z – he has already made a habit of doing things that would be considered straight out of a fairy tale. In January 2024, at the age of just 12 years and 284 days, he made his First Class debut for Bihar against domestic giant Mumbai in the Ranji Trophy.

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> **RAHUL DRAVID**
> RR coach

R. RAGU

Then in September-October, featuring for India U-19, the left-hander smashed a 58-ball century against Australia U-19 in a Youth Test in Chennai. It pointed to a precocious talent, but what ensued in November, during the IPL auction in Jeddah, was truly unprecedented: still 13, his cherubic face exuding blissful ignorance, he attracted a bidding war that eventually saw Rajasthan Royals cough up a whopping ₹1.1 crore.

If all this was out of the ordinary, the boy from Samastipur has endeared himself to fans even further this summer. That his bat could produce moments of Mary Poppins-induced magic became apparent after his very first ball in the IPL when he backed away and thumped Lucknow Super Giants' Shardul Thakur for a spectacular six over extra cover. He made 34 off 20 balls, a few tears rolling down his cheeks on his dismissal being the only giveaway of his tender age.

Just two matches later, the view that this is a wonderkid poised to leave our collective jaws on the floor was fortified. Against a Gujarat Titans attack comprising six international bowlers, Suryavanshi hit a record-shattering 38-ball 101 to help RR hunt down 210 in 15.5 overs. "There is no fear. I don't think much, I just focus on playing" was Suryavanshi's laconic post-match remark.

He is hardwired to bashing the ball at every opportunity: he makes a back-and-across shuffle deep into his crease, keeps his front leg away from the line of the ball to create room and swings his bat at lightning speed from an extravagantly high back-lift. There's another thing that has caught the eye of Royals coach Rahul Dravid.

"What you look for in a good young batter is how quick they are to judge length," Dravid told the media. "That is something that has really amazed me. One thing you notice with Vaibhav is that he is very quick to pick up on anything that is fractionally short or full."

Bringing Tendulkar to mind

Owing to the amazement aroused by a boy in his mid-teens taking on highly established bowlers, Suryavanshi has evoked comparisons with Sachin Tendulkar. The prodigy from Mumbai was a 16-year-old with a squeaky voice on India's tour of Pakistan in 1989 when he famously dispatched the crafty Abdul Qadir for four sixes in an over in an exhibition game in Peshawar after an ODI had been abandoned. To draw further parallels between the two, of course, would be a bit of a stretch for the time being.

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>
> **W.V. RAMAN**
> Former India cricketer

Tendulkar's fabled 24-year international career was down to a combination of technique, temperament, hunger for runs and an uncompromising work ethic. "See, Sachin grew up in a different environment. He was brought up by his coach to do things with a different methodology," former India cricketer W.V. Raman weighed in. "So that being the case, you cannot compare. Sachin was a lot more technically correct. So, it was easy for him to build on the strong basics he had."

The arrival of a promising youngster on the scene tends to tug at the heartstrings and raise anticipation. But for every Tendulkar and Gary Sobers – the great all-rounder was 17 when he first played for West Indies – there are several cautionary tales. Of the Indians who made their Test debuts before 18 – Tendulkar, Piyush Chawla, L. Sivaramakrishnan, Parthiv Patel, Maninder Singh, Vijay Mehra and Harbhajan Singh – it is evident that only a couple fulfilled their potential.

Though quite a few of these were bowlers, is there a case to make for batters being more equipped to succeed at a younger age? Teenage spinners are generally perceived to need more time to assimilate the vagaries of their craft. In the case of fledgling pacers, a developing body not yet fully geared to the rigours of bowling fast may come in the way.

"The system will be a little apprehensive with spinners. Because they would also tend to cast their minds back to the likes of Sivaramakrishnan and Maninder. Of course, blooding them in at that age was not the issue. It was just that they did not have the right guidance once they hit a rough patch. And it has also been proven over the years that spinners mature late. A lot of factors are involved for bowlers because they need the backing of their captain," Raman opined.

"But for batters, once they get a few runs, the obstacles are not many. And that's the reason why you see young batters gaining recognition sooner than bowlers."

Recognition has certainly come Suryavanshi's way very soon. But his dismissals on 0 and 4 in successive outings following his century were a reminder of the ebbs and flows that his journey will entail, and underlined the need to temper expectations.

What lies ahead

To ensure that his encounter with fame isn't all too fleeting, a cooperative racking of brains, involving his IPL franchise, the Bihar Cricket Association and the BCCI, will be needed. The mental effects of an early exposure to the arc lights will also have to be monitored.

"He's got to watch out on the kind of advice he heeds. Because he will go through a lot of teams. And he will have to obviously work with a lot of coaches along the way," Raman said. "So, he has to be about five times as good as the coaches that he encounters. He has to decide what really suits his game, what really suits his temperament, and what really suits his philosophy of cricket. That is going to be the key. If he resorts to following just about everything, then he is going to be in that zone of confusion. So it will all come down to that."

For now, Suryavanshi has a coach in Dravid at RR who will offer good counsel. As and when the IPL resumes, then, let's marvel at a boy hammering fours and sixes on the big stage without a care in the world. Something we weren't doing at 14.

STACKING UP

ATP Men's Top 15

#	Player	Age	Points	Events
1	Jannik Sinner	23	9,730	15
2	Alexander Zverev	28	8,085	22
3	Carlos Alcaraz	22	7,850	20
4	Taylor Fritz	27	4,815	20
5	Jack Draper	23	4,440	19
6	Novak Djokovic	37	4,130	19
7	Casper Ruud	26	3,715	24
8	Alex de Minaur	26	3,635	23
9	Lorenzo Musetti	23	3,550	22
10	Holger Rune	22	3,440	23
11	Daniil Medvedev	29	3,290	20
12	Tommy Paul	27	3,210	21
13	Ben Shelton	22	3,020	25
14	Arthur Fils	20	2,920	23
15	Grigor Dimitrov	33	2,685	19

Top Indians ▶

Sumit Nagal
Rank 169 ▼ 4 spots

Aryan Shah
Rank 450 ▲ 21 spots

WTA Women's Top 15

#	Player	Age	Points	Events
1	Aryna Sabalenka	27	11,118	19
2	Iga Swiatek	23	6,773	16
3	Coco Gauff	21	6,603	20
4	Jessica Pegula	31	6,243	20
5	Jasmine Paolini	29	4,875	18
6	Madison Keys	30	4,824	19
7	Mirra Andreeva	18	4,781	18
8	Qinwen Zheng	22	4,193	19
9	Emma Navarro	23	3,797	25
10	Paula Badosa	27	3,761	21
11	Diana Shnaider	21	3,023	28
12	Elena Rybakina	25	2,983	18
13	Karolina Muchova	28	2,919	18
14	Elina Svitolina	30	2,810	17
15	Daria Kasatkina	28	2,686	24

Top Indians ▶

Ankita Raina
Rank 308 ▼ 2 spots

Sahaja Yamalapalli
Rank 323 ▼ 3 spots

English Premier League Standings

#	Team	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
1	Liverpool	35	25	7	3	81	35	46	82
2	Arsenal	35	18	13	4	64	31	33	67
3	Man. City	35	19	7	9	67	43	24	64
4	Newcastle	35	19	6	10	66	45	21	63
5	Chelsea	35	18	9	8	62	41	21	63
6	Nott. Forest	35	18	7	10	54	42	12	61
7	Aston Villa	35	17	9	9	55	49	6	60
8	Bournemouth	35	14	11	10	55	42	13	53
9	Brentford	35	15	7	13	62	53	9	52
10	Brighton	35	13	13	9	57	56	1	52
11	Fulham	35	14	9	12	50	47	3	51
12	Crystal Palace	35	11	13	11	44	48	-4	46
13	Wolves	35	12	5	18	51	62	-11	41
14	Everton	35	8	15	12	36	43	-7	39
15	Man. United	35	10	9	16	42	51	-9	39
16	Tottenham	35	11	5	19	63	57	6	38
17	West Ham	35	9	10	16	40	59	-19	37
18	Ipswich Town	35	4	10	21	35	76	-41	22
19	Leicester City	35	5	6	24	29	76	-47	21
20	Southampton	35	2	5	28	25	82	-57	11

Italian Serie A Standings

#	Team	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
1	Napoli	35	23	8	4	55	25	30	77
2	Inter Milan	35	22	8	5	73	33	40	74
3	Atalanta	35	20	8	7	71	31	40	68
4	Juventus	35	16	15	4	52	32	20	63
5	Roma	35	18	9	8	50	32	18	63
6	Lazio	35	18	9	8	58	45	13	63
7	Bologna	35	16	14	5	53	38	15	62
8	Fiorentina	35	17	8	10	53	35	18	59
9	AC Milan	35	16	9	10	55	39	16	57
10	Como	35	12	9	14	45	48	-3	45
11	Torino	35	10	14	11	39	40	-1	44
12	Udinese	35	12	8	15	38	49	-11	44
13	Genoa	35	9	12	14	30	43	-13	39
14	Cagliari	35	8	9	18	36	51	-15	33
15	Verona	35	9	5	21	30	63	-33	32
16	Parma	35	6	14	15	40	54	-14	32
17	Lecce	35	6	9	20	24	57	-33	27
18	Venezia	35	4	14	17	28	49	-21	26
19	Empoli	35	4	13	18	27	55	-28	25
20	Monza	35	2	9	24	25	63	-38	15

Spanish LaLiga Standings

#	Team	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
1	Barcelona	34	25	4	5	91	33	58	79
2	Real Madrid	34	23	6	5	69	33	36	75
3	Atletico Madrid	34	19	10	5	56	27	29	67
4	Athletic Bilbao	34	16	13	5	50	26	24	61
5	Villarreal	34	16	10	8	60	47	13	58
6	Real Betis	34	16	9	9	52	42	10	57
7	Celta Vigo	34	13	7	14	52	52	0	46
8	Rayo Vallecano	34	11	11	12	36	42	-6	44
9	Osasuna	34	10	14	10	42	50	-8	44
10	Real Mallorca	34	12	8	14	31	39	-8	44
11	Real Sociedad	34	12	7	15	32	37	-5	43
12	Valencia	34	10	12	12	40	51	-11	42
13	Getafe	34	10	9	15	31	31	0	39
14	Espanyol	34	10	9	15	36	44	-8	39
15	Girona	34	10	8	16	41	52	-11	38
16	Sevilla	34	9	11	14	37	46	-9	38
17	Alaves	34	8	11	15	35	46	-11	35
18	Las Palmas	34	8	8	18	40	56	-16	32
19	Leganes	34	6	13	15	32	51	-19	31
20	Real Valladolid	34	4	4	26	25	83	-58	16

German Bundesliga Standings

#	Team	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
1	Bayern	32	23	7	2	93	32	61	76
2	Leverkusen	32	19	11	2	68	37	31	68
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5	Dortmund	32	15	6	11	64	49	15	51
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7	Mainz	32	13	9	10	49	40	9	48
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9	M'gladbach	32	13	6	13	55	54	1	45
10	Stuttgart	32	12	8	12	57	51	6	44
11	FC Augsburg	32	11	10	11	34	45	-11	43
12	Wolfsburg	32	10	9	13	53	52	1	39
13	Union Berlin	32	9	10	13	33	47	-14	37
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15	Hoffenheim	32	7	10	15	44	62	-18	31
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17	Holstein Kiel	32	6	7	19	48	75	-27	25
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Test Batting

#	Player	Rating	Career best
1	Joe Root	895	932
2	Harry Brook	876	898
3	Kane Williamson	867	919
4	Yashasvi Jaiswal	847	854
5	Steve Smith	823	947
6	Temba Bavuma	769	769
7	Kamindu Mendis	761	779
8	Travis Head	748	884
9	Usman Khawaja	739	847
9	Rishabh Pant	739	801

Test Bowling

#	Player	Rating	Career best
1	Jasprit Bumrah	908	908
2	Kagiso Rabada	837	902
3	Pat Cummins	824	914
4	Josh Hazlewood	818	864
5	Nathan Lyon	812	812
6	Noman Ali	806	806
7	Marco Jansen	785	803
8	Matt Henry	782	782
9	Prabath Jayasuriya	751	801
10	Ravindra Jadeja	745	899

ODI Batting

#	Player	Rating	Career best
1	Shubman Gill	784	847
2	Babar Azam	766	898
3	Rohit Sharma	756	882
4	Heinrich Klaasen	744	760
5	Virat Kohli	736	909
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9	Charith Asalanka	694	694
10	Ibrahim Zadran	676	693

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#	Player	Rating	Career best
1	Maheesh Theekshana	680	686
2	Kuldeep Yadav	650	761
3	Keshav Maharaj	648	741
4	Bernard Scholtz	644	648
5	Rashid Khan	640	799
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7	Gudakesh Motie	632	639
8	Matt Henry	622	691
9	Ravindra Jadeja	616	733
10	Adam Zampa	614	699

T20I Batting

#	Player	Rating	Career best
1	Travis Head	856	885
2	Abhishek Sharma	829	829
3	Philip Salt	815	881
4	Tilak Varma	804	845
5	Suryakumar Yadav	739	912
6	Jos Buttler	735	756
7	Pathum Nissanka	714	722
8	Tim Seifert	708	708
9	Babar Azam	681	900
10	Kusal Perera	676	786

T20I Bowling

#	Player	Rating	Career best
1	Jacob Duffy	723	723
2	Akeal Hosein	707	714
3	Varun Chakravarthy	706	706
4	Adil Rashid	705	747
5	Wanindu Hasaranga	700	809
6	Adam Zampa	694	746
7	Ravi Bishnoi	674	707
8	Maheesh Theekshana	666	686
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Railways approves survey for mega terminal at Devanahalli to decongest city's rail network

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A train on the Bengaluru-Chickballapur line near Devanahalli.

To address congestion in Bengaluru's railway infrastructure, the Railway Board has approved a final location survey (FLS) for a proposed mega coaching terminal near Devanahalli.

According to a release by South Western Railway (SWR), the survey, sanctioned at an estimated cost of ₹1.35 crore, is a strategic initiative aimed at decongesting Bengaluru's saturated railway infrastructure and meeting the rising demand for passenger services in the region.

The terminal is expected to be located along the Yelahanka-Devanahalli-Chickballapur corridor and will serve as the city's fourth major coaching terminal, stated the release.

Explaining the need for the terminal, SWR said that with a population of around 11.5 million, Bengaluru ranks as India's fifth most populous metro.

"Its railway system currently operates with just three terminals and 12 pit lines, handling 140 originating, 139 terminating, and 142 pass-through trains daily, along with 110 primary maintenance trains. In 2024-25, the city is witnessed 103.72 million originating passengers and a total footfall of 212.06 million. Existing terminals - KSR Bengaluru, Yeshwantpur, and SMVT Bengaluru – are already stretched, and future projections of 210 originating trains per day could overwhelm the system," the release added.

"The network faces multiple operational bottlenecks: fully utilised pit lines, overcrowded platforms, frequent train delays, high empty rake movements owing to insufficient stabling lines, and no dedicated goods corridor. Urban density has made expansion at existing sites nearly impossible. While short-term steps like train rerouting and terminal shifts have been implemented, long-term solutions are crucial," the release said.

The Devanahalli terminal will be a full-fledged facility with 12 pit lines, five automatic coach washing lines, 24 stabling lines, heavy repair bays, wheel lathe lines, sick lines, and other supporting infrastructure including loco bays and administrative facilities. It will be designed to handle 36 rakes per day, according to release.

BMRCL refuses to disclose FFC report

Darshan Devaiah B.P.
BENGALURU

Despite mounting pressure from commuters, elected representatives, and Right to Information (RTI) requests, Bangalore Metro Rail Corporation Limited (BMRCL) has refused to publish or share the report prepared by the fare fixation committee (FFC) that recommended the controversial Namma Metro fare hike earlier this year.

The report, which was prepared by a three-member FFC comprising R. Tharani, former judge of the Madras High Court; Satyendra Pal Singh, Additional Secretary, Union Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs; and E.V. Ramana Reddy, retired IAS officer and former additional chief secretary to the Government of Karnataka, remains inaccessible to the public.

The Hindu also filed an RTI application in February 12 with the Union Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs seeking a copy of the FFC report. The Ministry subsequently transferred the application to the managing director of BMRCL. However, no response has been received to date.

BMRCL's reluctance to disclose the report has drawn sharp criticism from Tejasvi Surya, Bangalore South MP, who has made repeated appeals demanding transparency in the fare revision process. Mr. Surya took to social media platform X (formerly Twitter) on Thursday, stating that he had sent a second letter to BMRCL MD M. Maheshwar Rao demanding the report's release. "In the wake of the steep hike in metro fares, public interest demands that the FFC report be made available immediately to ensure transparency and accountability," Mr Surya wrote, citing the lack of official response to his earlier letter dated April 28.

"This delay stands in sharp contrast to the practices followed by other metro organisations and goes against the interest of openness and informed discourse," he added.

Recently, Bengaluru resident Madhan Kumar C. also filed an RTI asking not just for the FFC report but also for specific details such as whether any committee members were sent abroad, which countries were visited, the dates of the visits, and the observations made during those trips. However, he alleged in a post on X that BMRCL did not furnish any of the requested information.

The FFC is a statutory body with quasi-judicial powers tasked with determining metro rail fares across India. It considers various factors such as operational costs, maintenance expenses, and staff salaries before recommending fare changes.

The fare hike announced by BMRCL on February 9 triggered widespread backlash from commuters and quickly turned into a political controversy. In some cases, the hike neared 100%, sparking criticism from both ruling and opposition parties.

YouTuber and policemen held for robbing tax consultant

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

The Bagalur police have arrested a YouTuber and three constables for allegedly robbing around ₹50 lakh from a tax consultant after luring him into a business proposition.

Based on a complaint filed by Nagaraju Bandaru, a resident of Sahakarnagar, the police arrested Praveen, a YouTuber and the alleged kingpin of the racket, along with Vijay Kumar, Santosh, and Manjunath attached to Chikkajala police station, while others involved in the racket are on the run.

Efforts are on to trace the other accused, a police officer who is part of the investigation said.

According to the complaint, the accused allegedly lured Nagaraju into a business proposition and called him for a meeting near a resort in Chikkajala. As per the deal, Nagaraju came to meet them with the cash only to be confronted by the policemen. Accusing him of "hawala money," they allegedly took ₹6 lakh from him warning him not to pursue the issue further and left.

Nagaraju, who had arranged for ₹50 lakh in cash, contacted Punith, one of the accused who had approached him first, who called him to an isolated place, assaulted and robbed him of his valuables and fled from the scene.

Three persons killed and two injured in road accidents

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

A pillion rider was killed and the rider injured when a car knocked down their scooter at Poojenahalli gate in Devanahalli traffic police station limits on Thursday.

The deceased has been identified as Velu, 50, a resident of KGF and working at a private firm.

He was returning home along with his colleague Ananth who was driving the scooter.

The duo was found severely injured and passers-by rushed them to a nearby hospital where Velu was declared as brought dead. Ananth is critical and is being treated.

Case of hit and run

The Devanahalli traffic police have registered a case of hit and run and efforts are on to track down the car.

In another incident, two people were killed and another injured when their motorcycle crashed into a roadside tree near Gundammana gate in Doddaballapur on Thursday night. They were riding triples and were allegedly inebriated.

The deceased have been identified as Rakshith, 30, the driver, and Venkatesh, 28, who was riding pillion. The other pillion rider was also injured critically and admitted to the hospital. The trio were working in a market at Doddaballapur and returning home after work.

The Doddaballapur police have taken up a case of self accident against the rider charging him with rash and negligent riding and are investigating further.

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Compound interest: what the inclusion of the bow style in LA28 means for India

The country's compound archers have excelled at major events. They hope this quality will translate into a podium finish at Los Angeles, where the discipline will make its Olympics debut. But they need better recognition and backing over the next three years. And only a comprehensive grass-roots programme will ensure sustainable, long-term success

Y.B. Sarangi

After women's boxing in 2012, India rejoiced at the inclusion of a discipline in the Olympics when compound archery received the green signal for its debut in Los Angeles 2028.

The reason for this joy was the country's superb track record in the bow style, with medals at the World Championships, World Cups and Asian Games, and the consequent hope that they can translate this excellence into an Olympics podium finish.

In recurve archery, which began its formal journey in India with the formation of the Archery Association of India (AAI) in 1973, a year after the sport was re-included in the Olympics, the country has bagged four medals in the World Championships.

In the compound discipline, in which the first National championships was conducted in 2004 – 19 years after the International Archery Federation (now World Archery) introduced the World Championships in the bow style – Indians have collected 11 Worlds medals.

Of late, their success has been phenomenal. They claimed three gold (men's and women's individual and women's team) and a bronze to make history at the 2023 World Championships in Berlin, topping the medals tally for the first-ever time.

In the Asian Games too, Indian compound archers have medalled consistently.

According to Arjuna and Dronacharya awards winner Sanjeeva Singh, one of the few who backed compound archery in the early 2000s, the bow style is the primary reason behind Indians' success in the discipline.

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>
> **ABHISHEK VERMA**
> Worlds and Asian Games medallist

"Good height and a particular body structure help a recurve archer. You also need power. Different archers use bows of different poundage," said Sanjeeva, a former high performance director of the Indian team.

"The compound bow is good for people with shorter height. So, it suits Indians. The upper limit is 60 pounds for bows. But the force required to draw reduces significantly due to the let-off, making it a level playing field."

Compound vs. recurve explained

For the uninitiated, the recurve bow is a modern form of the traditional one. "The energy stored in the bent limbs transfers through the string into the arrow, sending it downrange to the target. Drawing a competitive recurve bow can require more than 20kg of force, and an arrow shot from a recurve bow can travel at speeds of over 200kmph," explains World Archery.

The compound bow, invented in the USA in the 1960s, is a mechanised equipment using a levering system of pulleys and cables. It works faster and is more accurate.

"An archer shooting a compound bow pulls the string back to the mechanical stop using a release aid, with the strength required to draw the bow decreasing. The archer aims at the target through a magnified scope and activates his release aid to detach it from the string. The energy stored in the bent limbs and cables transfers into the arrow, sending it downrange to the target. Drawing a competitive compound bow can require up to 28kg of force, although at full draw the holding weight can be as little as 6kg, and an arrow shot from a compound bow can travel at speeds of over 350kmph," the WA explainer says.

Compound archery, with its growing popularity, was included in the World Games in 2013 and the Asian Games in 2014. It also became a part of the continental Games in the Americas, Europe and the Pacific.

The archery community was disappointed when compound could not make it to the LA 2028 programme last October. Finally, when the lone compound mixed team event joined five existing recurve events – men's and women's individual and team and mixed team – in the Olympics last month, it brought delight and relief.

The news raised medal hopes for India, which, despite producing several top recurve archers such as Deepika Kumari, Atanu Das, Tarundeep Rai and B. Dhiraj, has not been able to open its account in the Olympics. The best performance came in Paris 2024, where Dhiraj and Ankita Bhakat lost the mixed team bronze medal match and finished fourth.

Compound star V. Jyothi Surekha – India's most decorated archer who has won medals in the World Championships, Asian Games, World Cup and World Games but has been fighting a legal battle after not being considered for the prestigious Major Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna Award – hopes that the development will ensure fair treatment for practitioners of the bow style.

The moment to shine

"We were waiting so long for this moment. Now our responsibility has increased," said Jyothi, who was competing in the first leg of the World Cup in Florida when the news broke.

"The scenario will change in a positive way. Now funds from the Government, private and non-profit organisations can be utilised for training. The awards and support will be better."

ABHISHEK VERMA AND JYOTHI SUREKHA PTI

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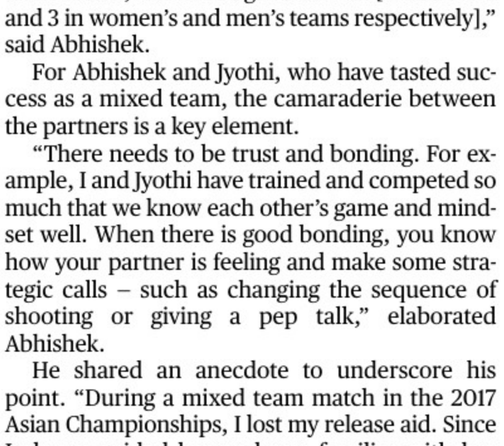

COACH SANJEEVA SINGH

Noticeably, things have improved. Seven top compound archers (Jyothi, Aditi Swami, Parneet Kaur, Abhishek Verma, Priyansh, Ojas Deotale, Prathamesh Jawkar) have been inducted into the Target Olympic Podium Scheme (TOPS).

"I notice encouraging signs as new kids are showing interest in compound archery," said Pravin Sawant, the personal coach of Aditi and Ojas.

Jyothi sounded serious about the Olympics. "Three years is a long time. We need to maintain and improve our performance. We have been winning medals everywhere, that's a good sign. But it will get tougher."

Abhishek Verma, another Worlds and Asian Games medallist, is optimistic. "We are yet to know about the competition format and qualification details. Still, India has a good chance as we are World No. 1 in the mixed team event. Several countries are strong either in men's or women's team events, but we are good in both [World No. 1 and 3 in women's and men's teams respectively]," said Abhishek.

For Abhishek and Jyothi, who have tasted success as a mixed team, the camaraderie between the partners is a key element.

"There needs to be trust and bonding. For example, I and Jyothi have trained and competed so much that we know each other's game and mindset well. When there is good bonding, you know how your partner is feeling and make some strategic calls – such as changing the sequence of shooting or giving a pep talk," elaborated Abhishek.

He shared an anecdote to underscore his point. "During a mixed team match in the 2017 Asian Championships, I lost my release aid. Since I always guided her and was familiar with her equipment, I used her release aid without any problem."

A grievance amid good tidings

With hopes for a better future, Abhishek highlighted a grievance. "Like Jyothi, many of us have been fighting for what we deserve. As for Jyothi, how many athletes across disciplines have bagged eight medals in the World Championships?"

For a good build-up to the Olympics, Abhishek feels entering more competitions, building bench-strength and preparing a core group of archers are necessary ingredients.

Sanjeeva recommends comprehensive grass-roots development with scientific support to achieve a long-term and sustainable goal of excelling in the Olympics.

Amid good tidings, the AAI and the Sports Ministry need to support Indian compound archers pragmatically and help them shine in LA28 and the Games beyond.

GAME THEORY

Top shot-stoppers in **Premier League 2024-25**

We take a look at how often goalkeepers in England's top flight have saved shots on target and kept clean sheets so far this season.

Goalkeeper	Club	Games	Shots on target faced	Saves	Save%	Clean sheets	Clean sheet %
Robert Sanchez	Chelsea	29	118	85	76.3	8	27.6
Kepa Arrizabalaga	Bournemouth	28	126	91	75.4	7	25.0
Lukasz Fabianski	West Ham	13	67	47	74.6	2	16.7
Matz Sels	Nott. Forest	35	152	110	74.3	13	37.1
David Raya	Arsenal	35	108	77	74.1	12	34.3
Mark Flekken	Brentford	34	186	137	73.1	6	17.6
Alisson	Liverpool	25	77	56	71.4	9	36.0
Jordan Pickford	Everton	35	149	104	71.1	10	28.6
Nick Pope	Newcastle	25	107	75	70.1	7	28.0
Arijanet Muric	Ipswich Town	18	100	67	70.0	1	5.6
Andre Onana	Man Utd	33	129	86	69.0	9	27.3
Ederson	Man City	23	73	49	68.5	8	34.8
Bernd Leno	Fulham	35	142	97	68.3	5	14.3
Stefan Ortega	Man City	13	50	33	68.0	3	25.0
Dean Henderson	Crystal Palace	35	143	97	67.1	10	28.6
Aaron Ramsdale	Southampton	27	173	109	67.1	2	7.4
Emiliano Martinez	Aston Villa	34	132	86	66.7	6	17.6
Guglielmo Vicario	Tottenham	23	94	63	64.9	4	17.4
Bart Verbruggen	Brighton	33	133	80	64.7	6	18.2
Mads Hermansen	Leicester City	27	155	99	64.5	1	3.7
Alphonse Areola	West Ham	24	105	69	62.9	4	17.4
Jose Sa	Wolves	27	108	63	62.0	7	25.9

Robert Sanchez

Kepa Arrizabalaga

Lukasz Fabianski

Matz Sels

Source: FBref.com

PICTURE THIS

Let's hurl!

The ancient sport of hurling — one of Ireland's native Gaelic games — can get wild and willing, as this scene from the Munster GAA Hurling Senior Championship in the town of Thurles shows.

The Championship, which has been contested every year since 1888, is the highest inter-county hurling competition in the Munster province. It's contested between May and July.

Hurling, early forms of which can be traced back to the Middle Ages, is an outdoor game played by teams of 15 players.

The objective is to use an ash wood stick (hurl or hurley) to strike a ball (sliotar) either into a goal-net guarded by a 'keeper for three points or over the crossbar, between the posts, for one.

The sliotar can be passed by hitting it in the air or on the ground with the hurley, slapping it with an open hand or kicking it. It can also be caught and carried for no more than four steps. Should players wish to carry it for longer, they must balance it or bounce it on the stick as they do so.

Tackling is clearly permitted, but there are specific rules governing physical contact.

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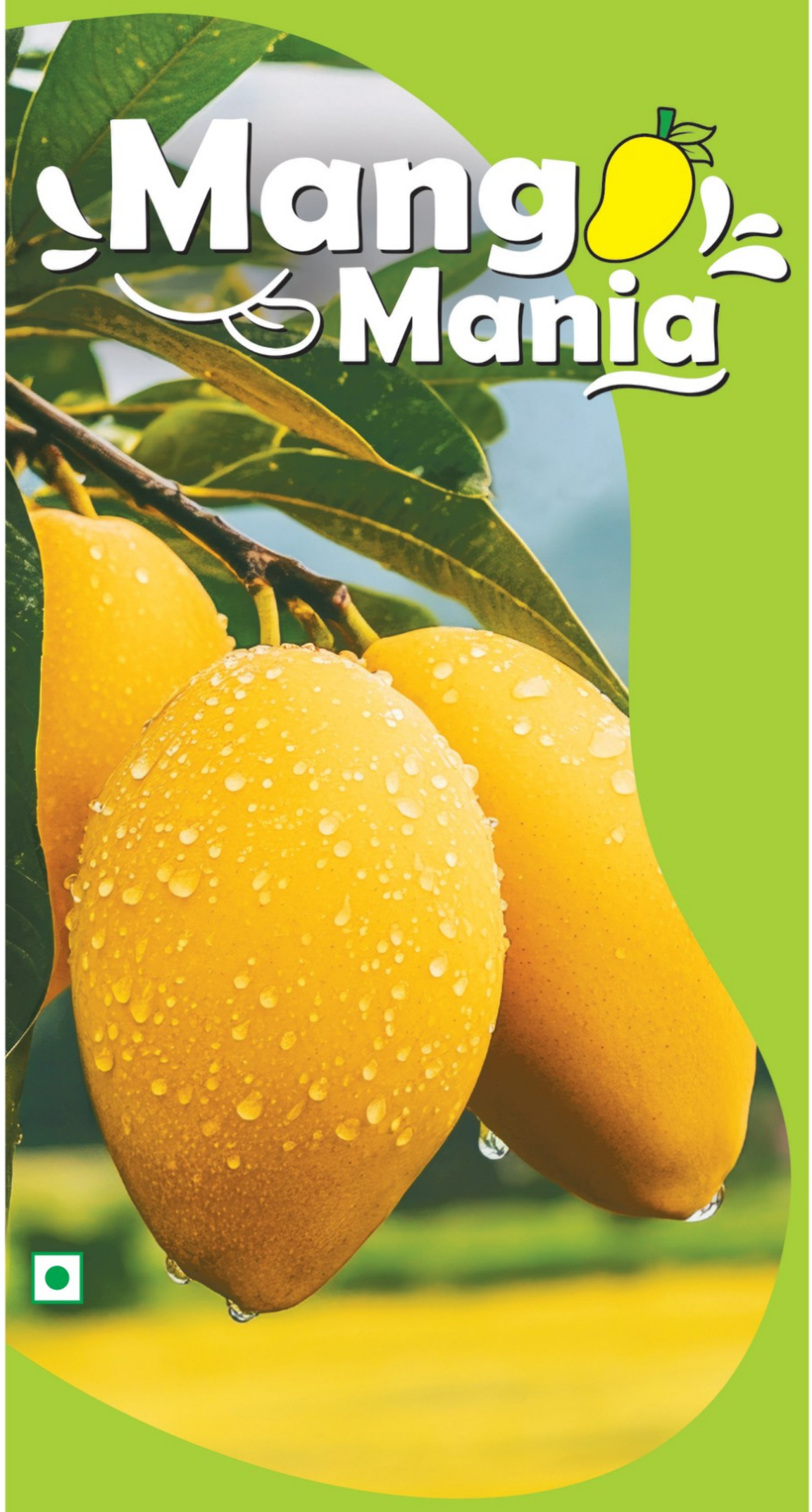

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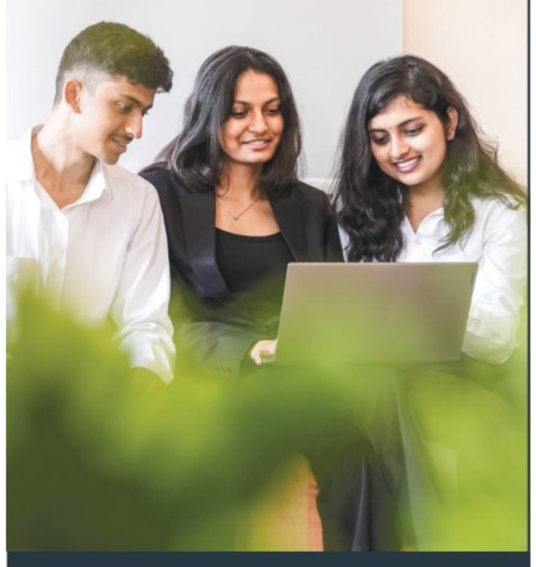

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Goods vehicle, car destroyed in two separate incidents

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

A goods vehicle caught fire on the busy Electronics City Flyover on Friday morning, leading to a major traffic disruption during peak hours for about an hour.

The incident occurred around 8.30 a.m. Soon after noticing the fire, the driver jumped out of the vehicle and managed to escape before it was engulfed in flames.

The police and the fire and emergency rescue personnel rushed to the spot and doused the fire. In another incident, a moving car caught fire on the down ramp of the Hebbal flyover. The driver jumped to safety. The destroyed car was cleared from the spot and normalcy restored, the police said.

Inter-State drug racket busted

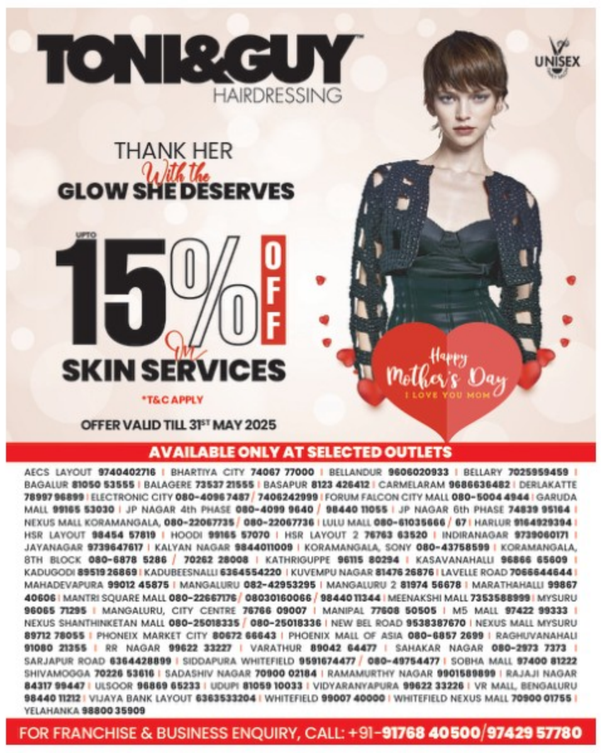
The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

The Anekal police on Friday busted an inter-State drug racket and arrested the prime accused, identified as Sachin from Kerala.

The police also recovered from him 160 kg of marijuana, one kg of Hydro ganja, and 800 gm of MDMA crystals worth ₹70 lakh.

Sachin had rented an apartment in Karpuru village to peddle drugs. During the raid, Sachin attempted to jump off the first floor in a bid to escape and fractured his leg, while three of his accomplices managed to flee. He was taken to a private hospital.

Superintendent of police C.K. Baba visited the spot and carried out an investigation. The police said that Sachin sourced the drugs from Andhra Pradesh and sold them to tourists and his clients in and around Bengaluru.



Canara Bank net profit up 33%

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

Canara Bank posted a 33.19% year-on-year increase in net profit to ₹5,004 crore for the March quarter of FY25, up from ₹3,757.23 crore a year ago.

The Q4 witnessed the bank's total interest income increase to ₹31,002.04 crore, a 7.62% year-on-year growth over ₹28,807.35 crore in the previous year.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

My client Harshad Patel, S/o. Haribhai Patel, Residing at Villa F-04, Brigade Orchards Pavilion Villas, Bychapura, Devanahalli, Bengaluru Rural District - 562 110, intends to purchase the schedule properties from its owner Smt. Hanumanthappa Rathnamma wife of B.G. Channappa, Aged about 65 years, Residing at # 135/A-35, 9th Main, RMV Extension, Sadashivanagar, Bengaluru - 560 080, who has represented that she is the absolute owner in peaceful possession of the schedule properties and the schedule properties are free from all encumbrances. That based on the said representation of the seller, my client is intending to purchase the schedule properties.

Notice is hereby given for the information of the General Public that if any person/s having any right, title, interest or claim over the schedule properties may lodge the claim with the undersigned along with the documentary proof in support of such claim within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice. If no such claim is received by the undersigned within the said period, it shall be presumed that no one has any right, title interest or claim over the schedule properties and my client will proceed with the sale transaction with the said owner and any objections or claims received thereafter will not be considered.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES

Item No. 1 : All that piece and parcel of Immovable agricultural land bearing Sy.No. 10/1, situated at Chikkasanne Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devenahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, measuring 0.09 guntas and bounded on the :- East by : Land belonging to Sri. P. Venu alias M.P. Venu, West by : Land belonging to Smt. Bhagyamma alias P. Bhagya, Smt Shanthamma alias P. Shanthakumari and Smt. Chandramma alias P. Chandramma, North by : Border of Sanneamanikere, South by : Land belonging to Krishnappa Sy. No. 9.

Item No. 2 : All that piece and parcel of Immovable Agricultural land bearing Sy.No. 10/2, situated at Chikkasanne Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, measuring 1 acre 11 guntas and bounded on the :- East by : Land belonging to Sri. Ramaiah / Rangappa, Son of Doddasanne Kempanna, West by : Land belonging to M.P. Venu, North by : Border of Sanneamanikere, South by : Land belonging to Muniyappa son of Kempanna.

Raja .R, Advocate
Udayagiri, (Bacchahalli Gate), Doddasanne Post, Near Bengaluru International Airport, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru (R) District 562 110. Mobile No. 9902469024

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is given on behalf of my client **Mr. RAJEEV, Son of Mr.Raman Nair** is willing to purchase the property which is more particularly described in the schedule hereunder is owned M/s. TBC Homes Infra Corp., All that piece and parcel of the Residential Plot No.45, having Panchayathi E Katha number PID No.150200102100320611, in respect of property bearing No.902/112/5/112/6/45, total measuring 160.20sq.mtr, in Phase-2, Comprised out of converted of Land bearing Sy.No.112/1 measuring 0-20 Guntas, Sy.No.112/4 measuring 07.08 Guntas, Sy.No.112/5 measuring 1 Acre 10 Guntas and Sy.No.112/6 measuring 1 Acre 10 Guntas, totally measuring 3 Acres 07.08 Guntas, Situated at Muthanallur Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk. They having acquired the same vide Supplementary agreement Dated 20.11.2023, My client has decided to Purchase the said schedule property.

It is hereby informed that any person(s) having any claim in respect of the above referred property or part thereof by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, charge, gift, maintenance, inheritance, possession, lease, tenancy, sub tenancy, lien, license, hypothecation, transfer of title or beneficial interest under any trust right of prescription or pre-emption or under any Agreement or other disposition or under any decree, order or Award or otherwise claiming, howsoever, are hereby requested to make the same known in writing together with supporting documents to the undersigned at the office of Ashvik Law Associates, Advocates and Solicitors, within a period of **15 days** of the publication hereof failing which the claim of such person(s) will deemed to have been waived and/or abandoned,

SCHEDULE:

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I, BIPIN Kumar R/at 332, Ground floor, 9th Cross, Sanjay Nagar, Marathahalli, Bangalore-560037 have changed my daughter's name from Baibhavi to Vaibhavi Kumari vide affidavit dt: 07.05.2025 before Notary V.Rajashekhara, Bengaluru

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Summans For Settlement of Issue (O.5 R. 1, 5)
In the Court of Civil Judge (S.D.) Bulandshahr

O.S. No. 401 Of 2015

CJI Porcelain (P) Ltd. Regd Office M-17 Dohil House 3rd Floor, M Block Main Market Greater Kailash-II New Delhi Through Authorized Signatory Sri Kunj Behari Ladia aged 55 Year S/o Sri Late Mahavir Prashad Ladia General Manager Commercial of the Company Junction Road Khurja District Bulandshahr U.P.
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Versus

1. Mr. Hari Eswaran s/o Not Known Chairman Easun Rayrolle Limited Temple Tower, 6th Floor 672, Anna Salai Nandanam Chennai-600035
2. Mr. Raj H Eswaran S/o Mr. Hari Eswaran Managing Director Easun Rayrolle Limited Temple Tower, 6th Floor 672, Anna Salai Nandanam Chennai-600035
3. Easun Rayrolle Limited Plot 98 Through Factory Manager, Hosur (Tamil Nadu)

----------Defendants

Where as Plaintiff instituted a suit against you for Recovery of Money you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person, or by a pleader duly instructed, and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompaniet by some persons able to answer all such questions, on the 21 day of May 2025 at 10 AM to answer the claim and further you are hereby directed to file on that day a written statement of your defence or claim for set-off or counter-claim, and where you rely on any other document whether in your possession or power or not, as evidence in support of your defence or claim for set-off or counter claim, you shall enter such documents in a list to be annexed to written statenent.
Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned above, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.
Given under my hand and the seal of Court, this 6 day May 2025.

Civil Judge (S.D.)
Bulandshahr

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CORRIGENDUM- 1 AND 2

Corrigendum No 1, **Tender Details: Tender No: CR-SUR-SNT-P-PSSA-2025-26 (Open Tender) Closing Date/Time 20/05/2025 15:00 Name Of Work:** Providing Project Supervision Services Agency (PSSA) for the work of: 1. Survey, design, supply, installation, testing and commissioning of stationary KAVACH equipment and other associated works over the jurisdiction of Solapur Division of Central Railway & 2. Survey, design, supply, installation, testing and commissioning of TOWERS for Kavach and other associated works over Central Railway of Solapur division

New Items Added:

Schedule/Item-Breakup

S No.	Item Desc	Bidding Unit	Item Code	Item Qty	Qty Unit	Unit Rate	Basic Value	Escl. (%)	Amount
Schedule B1-Outstation travel for meetings (Fixed rate-AT PAR only) (Item Directory None)									
01	Outstation travel for meetings		View Details In Item Breakup Below				257211.91	0.00	257211.91

Documents

S.No	Document Description	File Name
1	PSSA RFP Document	ModifiedSURPSSARFPDocument.pdf

Item Breakup

Schedule-B1 Outstation travel for meetings (Fixed rate-AT PAR only)

Item-01 Outstation travel for meetings

#	Item No	Description of Item	Qty	Rate	Amount
1	01	Outstation travel for meetings (Annexure B of Appendix II of RFP). Fixed rate -Bidder to quote this Item AT PAR ONLY.	1.00	257211.91	257211.91

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Item Breakup

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தமிழ்நாடு அரசு அரசாணை (வா) எண்.74, தமிழ் வளர்ச்சி மற்றும் செய்தித்துறை, **நாள்:29.04.2025ன்** படி, தமிழ்ப் பல்கலைக்கழகத் துணைவேந்தர் பதவிக்குத் தகுதியான மூன்று பேர்களைத் தமிழ்நாடு அரசுக்கு பரிந்துரை செய்ய தெரிவாய்வுக் குழுவை அரசு அமைத்துள்ளது. தமிழ் வளர்ச்சி மற்றும் செய்தித்துறை **12.03.2018** ஆம் நாளிட்ட அரசாணை (நிலை) எண். **51**, அறிவிப்பிற்கிணங்க கல்வித் தகுதியையும், பணி அனுபவங்களையும் கொண்டுள்ள உயரிய தகைமை கொண்ட, நேர்மைமிக்க, பொறுப்பு வாய்ந்த, மதிப்புமிகு கல்வியாளர்களிடமிருந்து தமிழ்ப் பல்கலைக்கழகத் துணைவேந்தர் பதவிக்கான விண்ணப்பங்கள் வரவேற்கப்படுகின்றன.

துணைவேந்தராக நியமனம் பெறுபவர், மூன்றாண்டுகள் பதவி வகிப்பார் அல்லது பதவிக் காலத்தில் எழுபது வயதை அடையும் நாளன்றே பணி நிறைவு பெறுவார்.

உரிய தகுதிகளையும், தேர்ந்த அனுபவங்களையும் கொண்டுள்ள விருப்பமுள்ள விண்ணப்பதாரர்கள், **www.tamiluniversity.ac.in** என்ற வலைத்தளத்திலிருந்து விண்ணப்பத்தைப் பதிவிறக்கம் பெறலாம். முழுமையாக நிறைவு செய்யப்பட்ட விண்ணப்பத்தை **"துணைவேந்தர் பதவி விண்ணப்பம், தமிழ்ப் பல்கலைக்கழகம்"** என்று உறை மேல் எழுதப்பட்டு வன்படிவத்தைப் **(Hard Copy)** பதிவு அஞ்சல் மூலமாகவும், மென்படிவத்தை **(Soft Copy in Portable Document Format - PDF only)** மின்னஞ்சல் மூலமாகவும், **08.06.2025 அன்று மாலை 5.00 மணிக்குள்** உரிய வடிவில் கீழ்க்கண்ட முகவரிக்கு வந்து சேருமாறு அனுப்பவேண்டும்.

பேராசிரியர் வெ. குமரேசன், பொறுப்பு அலுவலர்,
தமிழ்ப் பல்கலைக்கழகத் துணைவேந்தர் தெரிவாய்வுக்குழு,
ANIHEES, தரைத்தளம்,
பேராசிரியர் மு. அனந்தகிருஷ்ணன் வளாகம்,
அண்ணா பல்கலைக்கழகம், சென்னை – 600 025
மின்னஞ்சல்: **tamilvcsearch2025@gmail.com**

பல்கலைக்கழக வலைத்தளம் / நாளிதழ்களில் அறிவிப்பு வெளியிடப்பட்ட பின்னர் பெறப்படும் விண்ணப்பங்கள் மட்டுமே பரிசீலிக்கப்படும். மேலும் மேற்குறிப்பிட்ட நிறைவு நாள் மற்றும் நேரத்திற்குப் பின்னர் வந்து சேரும் விண்ணப்பங்கள் எக்காரணம் கொண்டும் ஏற்றுக்கொள்ளப்படாது.

பதிவாளர் (பொ.)

TAMIL UNIVERSITY, THANJAVUR - 613010

APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHANCELLOR SEARCH COMMITTEE NOTIFICATION

The Government of Tamil Nadu, vide G.O. Rt. No.74, Tamil Development and Information Department, dated **29.04.2025,** has constituted a Search Committee, to recommend a panel of three persons, to Government of Tamil Nadu, for appointment of Vice-Chancellor, Tamil University, Thanjavur.

The Search Committee invites applications for the post of Vice-Chancellor, Tamil University, Thanjavur, from distinguished academicians with highest level of competence, integrity, morals and institutional commitment and possessing the necessary educational qualifications and work experience, as notified by the Government of Tamil Nadu in its G.O. (Ms). No. 51, Tamil Development and Information Department, dated **12.03.2018,** copy of which is available in the website **www.tamiluniversity.ac.in**

The Vice-Chancellor shall hold office for a period of three years, provided that the person appointed as Vice-Chancellor shall retire from office, if, during the term of office, he/she attains the age of 70 years.

Interested candidates, possessing the requisite qualifications and experience, may download the prescribed application from the website of the Tamil University **www.tamiluniversity.ac.in.** The filled-in application shall be sent in the prescribed format, by REGISTERED POST, duly superscribing the envelope **"Application for the post of Vice-Chancellor, Tamil University",** and also by e-mail (in Portable Document Format –PDF only), so as to reach the following address, on or before **08.06.2025, 05.00 PM.**

Prof. V. Kumaresan, Nodal Officer,
Search Committee for Selection of Vice-Chancellor, Tamil University
ANIHEES, Ground Floor,
Professor M. Anandhakrishnan Block, Anna University, Chennai – 600 025.
Email: tamilvcsearch2025@gmail.com

Applications received after the publication of notification in the University Website / Newspaper alone will be considered and those received after the closing date will not be entertained, on any account.

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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd,** the constructive/physical (whichever is applicable) possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd.,** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **27.05.2025,** for recovery of **Rs. 59,99,771.81/- (Rupees Fifty Nine Lakhs Ninety Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy One and Paisa Eight One only)** due to **"The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd",** Secured Creditor from **Mr. T R Abhishek,** S/o. Mr. V M Rudramurthy, Residing at No.36, 4th Block, Nagarbhavi 2nd Stage, Behind SBI Bank, Malagala Main Road, Bangalore-560091. The reserve price will be **Rs.20,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Lakhs only) and the earnest money deposit will be Rs.2,00,000/- (Rupees Two Lakhs only).**

Description Of The Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of Residential Flat Bearing No. 402 in 4th Floor, (2BHK) at "Miyans Green Residency" Celebrity Lake View carved out in S.No. 56,72,73/2, 74/1 and 74/2 property No. 150200103200201171/240/112 and 150200103200201172/240/113, Site No.112 &113, present Henagara Grama Panchayat Certificate No. 7012796 situated at "Celebrity Lake View" of Rajapura Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore- 560 102. Total site extent 5200.00 Sq.ft, super Built-up area of 1018 Sq.ft having 203 Sq.ft of Undivided share and Bounded on: East by Corridor, West by: Set Back, North by: Flat No.401, South by: Flat No.403.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in our Bank's/Secured Creditor's website i.e., **www.kvb.co.in/Property Under Auction also at the web portal BankAuctions.in/ForeclosureIndia.com** of the service provider, **M/s. 4 closure.**

STATUTORY 15 DAYS' NOTICE UNDER RULE 9(1) OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002

The borrower/s and guarantor/s are hereby notified to pay the dues as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of e-Auction, failing which the Schedule property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues, if any, will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date : 09.05.2025 **Sd/- Authorized Officer**
Place: Bangalore **THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED**

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BRIEF TENDER NOTICE E-TENDER

CORRIGENDUM -I Date:09.05.2025

On behalf of President of India, **Sealed Item rate E-Tender** is invited online from Contractors of appropriate class for the following work in NIT by **Group Head,** ISTRAC, ISRO, Peenya, Bengaluru-58 (Ph:080-2809 4541, 4178).

Name of work	**Comprehensive Annual Maintenance Contract for Split AC Units installed at SCC, MOX & IDSN, ISTRAC, Peenya, Bengaluru.**
E-Tender Notice	**ISTRAC/CMG/MAINT/A.C/E-Tender-15/ 2025-2026, Dated:23.04.2025**
Estimated Cost put to tender	**Rs. 5.66 Lakhs**
Tender Document Details	**E-Tenders**
Period of Completion in months reckoned from the 15th day of date of issue of work order	**12 (Twelve) Months with a provision to extend the contract further for a period of two year with same terms and conditions**
Period during which the tender document can be downloaded	From 26.04.2025 to 05.05.2025 till 11.00 hrs. **Extended up to 17.05.2025 till 16.00 hrs.**
Bid Clarification	From 27.04.2025 to 06.05.2025 till 16.00 hrs. **Extended up to 18.05.2025 till 16.00 hrs.**
Last date & time for reply to Bid Clarifications	07.05.2025 up to 16.00 Hrs. **Extended up to 19.05.2025 up to 16.00 hrs.**
Last date and time for receipt of tenders	08.05.2025 up to 16.00 Hrs. **Extended up to 20.05.2025 up to 16.00 hrs.**
Due date and time of opening of tenders.	09.05.2025 after 11.00 Hrs. **Extended up to 21.05.2025 up to 11.00 hrs.**
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	**Rs. 11,320.00**

Interested tenderers may please refer **Detailed Notice Inviting Tender (NIT)** for eligibility criteria and other details from website **www.isro.gov.in** and download the tender documents from **www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO**

Sd/- Group Head, CMG

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भारत सरकार का उपक्रम A Government of India Undertaking

SHANKARMUTT BRANCH
No. 156, Puttanachetty Main Road, Beside Jain Seva Sadan, 5th Main Road, Chamarajpet, Near Shankarmutt, Bengaluru - 560018. M: 9324502802, Email: ubin0902802@unionbankofindia.bank

DEMAND NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SEC.13(2) OF SARFAESI ACT

The Borrower/s: 1. (a) Mrs. Shashi S. Bhat W/o Dr. A Sridhar Bhat, Aswini Clinic, Dr. TCM Royan Road, Cross, Chamrajpet, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560018.
(b) Dr. A Sridhar Bhat, Aswini Clinic, Dr. TCM Royan Road, Cross, Chamrajpet, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560018.

Notice under section 13(2) read with Section 13(3) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

You the addressee No. 1 herein have availed the following credit facilities from our Shankarmutt Branch and failed to pay the dues/ instalment/ interest/ operate the accounts satisfactorily and hence, in terms of the RBI guidelines as to the income Recognition and prudential norms, your account/s has/have been classified as Non-performing Asset as on **09-11-2021** As on 22-04-2025, a sum of **Rs.1608455.05** (Rupees Sixteen Lakh Eight Thousand Four Hundred Fifty Five and Five Paise Only) is outstanding in your account/s.

The particulars of amount due to the Bank from No. 1 of your in respect of the aforesaid account/s are as under:

Type of Facility	Outstanding amount as on date 19-01-2025	Unapplied interest	Penal interest (Simple)	Cost / Charges incurred by Bank	Total dues (in Rs.)
Home Loan (CHOME) (AC-560631000462481)	Rs. 1090501.00	Rs. 473454.05	0.00	Rs. 44500.00	Rs. 1608455.05
TOTAL DUES					Rs. 1608455.05

To secure the repayment of the monies due or the monies that may become due to the Bank, **Mrs. Shashi S. Bhat & Dr. A Sridhar Bhat** had /have executed documents on **11-02-2005** and created security interest by way of mortgage of immovable property described herein below:

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY:

Non-agricultural immovable property held on warg right and situated in Kankanady village of Mangalore Taluk, within Mangalore City Corporation and Registeration Sub-District of Mangalore City, D.K. District and comprised in S. No. 32/5, south middle delineated as 32/5(B) together with the residential building D No. 6-144/1, mamool and easementary rights appurtenant thereto, Boundaries: **North:** Portion of Same Survey Number; **South:** Survey Line / S No. 32/3 / thodu; **East:** Portion of Same Survey Number; **West:** Portion of Same Survey Number.

Therefore you are hereby called upon in terms of Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, to pay a sum of **Rs.1608455.05** together with further interest and charges at the contractual rate as per the terms and conditions of loan documents executed by you and discharge the liabilities in full **within 60 days** from the date of receipt of this notice, failing which, we shall be constrained to enforce the aforesaid securities by exercising any or all of the rights given under the said Act.

As per section 13(13) of the Act, on receipt of this notice you are restrained prevented from disposing of or dealing with the above securities without the consent of the bank.

Your attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Date: 10.05.2025 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore **Union Bank of India**

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Construction & Maintenance Group,
ISRO HQ, Antariksh Bhavan, New BEL Road, Bengaluru -560 094 Ph:080-22172476/2479/2033 Fax No.080-23513126

E-TENDER NOTICE

On behalf of the President of India, online item rate tenders are invited through e-Tendering for the following work:

Title of work	**Composite Consultancy Services (Architecture, Interior, Structural, MEP, Estimation, and Landscaping) for a VVIP accommodation at Jalahalli, Bengaluru, Karnataka.**
Tender Notice No.	**CMG/ISRO-HQ/C/CCS/01/P/AB/ VVIPA/2025-26 Dated: 09.05.2025**
Estimated cost put to tender (Approx.cost of the facility)	**₹400.00 Lakhs**
Period during which the tender document can be downloaded	**From: 18:10 hrs on 09.05.2025 To: 23:59 hrs on 18.05.2025**
Last date and time for receipt of tenders	**Up to: 15:30 hrs on 20.05.2025**
Due date and time of opening of tenders [Technical Bid]	**16:00 hrs onwards on 20.05.2025**
Earnest Money Deposit [EMD]	**₹24,000/- (Valid for 180 days)**

For eligibility criteria and other details, Interested tenderers may please refer detailed tender Notice inviting Tender (NIT) on website: **https://www.isro.gov.in/tenders.html** and **https://www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO** at tender free view. Detailed tender notice and Tender (NIT) and Tender documents may be downloaded from e-tendering website: **https://www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO**

Sd/- Group Head, CMG, ISRO HQ

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DEMAND NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SEC.13(2) OF SARFAESI ACT

The Borrower/s: 1. (a) Mrs. BHAGYAMMA W/o Nanjundaiah, No. 36/1, 5th Main, 7th Cross, Dasappa Garden, Devanthachar Street, Chamrajpet, Bengaluru-560018.
(b) Mr. Nanjundaiah, No. 36/1, 5th Main, 7th Cross, Dasappa Garden, Devanthachar Street, Chamrajpet, Bengaluru-560018.
The Guarantor/s: 2. Mr. Boregowda M R, The Mysore Sugar Co. Ltd., Mysugar Building, J.C. Road, Bengaluru - 560002.

Notice under section 13(2) read with Section 13(3) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

You the addressee No. 1 herein have availed the following credit facilities from our Shankarmutt Branch and failed to pay the dues/ instalment/ interest/ operate the accounts satisfactorily and hence, in terms of the RBI guidelines as to the income Recognition and prudential norms, your account/s has/have been classified as Non-performing Asset as on **29-05-2022** As on 22-04-2025, a sum of **Rs.411587.45** (Rupees Rupees Four Lakh Eleven Thousand Five Hundred Eighty Seven and Forty Five Paise only) is outstanding in your account/s.

The particulars of amount due to the Bank from No. 1 of your in respect of the aforesaid account/s are as under:

Type of Facility	Outstanding amount as on date 19-01-2025	Unapplied interest	Penal interest (Simple)	Cost / Charges incurred by Bank	Total dues (in Rs.)
Home Loan (AC-560631000463125)	Rs. 169941.31	Rs. 46679.70	0.00	0.00	Rs. 216621.01
Home Loan (AC-560631000463222)	Rs. 160720.44	Rs. 34246.00	0.00	0.00	Rs. 194966.44
TOTAL DUES					Rs. 411587.45

To secure the repayment of the monies due or the monies that may become due to the Bank, **Mrs. Bhagyamma** had /have executed documents on **02-11-2012** and created security interest by way of mortgage of immovable property described herein below:

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY:

Flat No. F-302, 3rd Floor, F Block, Tunga Housing Complex, BDA Janabharathi Enclave, 1st Phase, 1st Stage, Super Build up area of 350 sq. ft., tother with undivided share of 305.50 sq. ft. in the land bearing Sy. No. 90/4, 90/3, 91/1A, 92/4, & 92/5, Valagerahalli extension, BDA Apartment, Kengeri, Bangalore - 560060.

Therefore you are hereby called upon in terms of Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, to pay a sum of **Rs.411587.45** together with further interest and charges at the contractual rate as per the terms and conditions of loan documents executed by you and discharge the liabilities in full **within 60 days** from the date of receipt of this notice, failing which, we shall be constrained to enforce the aforesaid securities by exercising any or all of the rights given under the said Act.

As per section 13(13) of the Act, on receipt of this notice you are restrained prevented from disposing of or dealing with the above securities without the consent of the bank.

Your attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Date: 10.05.2025 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore **Union Bank of India**

SREENIDHI SOUHARDA SAHAKARI BANK NIYAMITHA

Head Office: No.113, R.V. Road, V.V. Puram, Bengaluru – 560 004.
Ph No. 080-26601152/153, 9845753124, E-mail:sssbn@sreenidhibank.com
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PUBLIC AUCTION SALE NOTICE

Sale of Immovable Property Mortgaged to Bank Under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.
(No 54 of 2002) –SARFAESI ACT

Sri.Venkatesh

Whereas Borrower **Sri.Venkatesh** S/o Gullappa aged about 58 years is Residing at No.159, Kanakapura Main Road, Near Ravishankara Ashrama, Udayapura Post, Bangalore-560082, has borrowed monies from Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, Raghuvanahalli Branch, No.812, Sy. No.62/2, 1st Floor, Vajarahalli, 100Feet Ring Road, Raghuvanahalli, Kanakapura Main Road, Bangalore-560062 and they owe a sum of **Rs. 18,16,136/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakhs Sixteen Thousand One Hundred Thirty Six Only)** with further Interest **@ 14.50%** per annum as on **09.05.2025** and costs there on.

Whereas the Authorized Officer of the Bank has issued notice under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and thereafter has taken possession of the property owned and mortgaged to the bank by **Sri.Venkatesh** S/o Gullappa is Residing at No.159, Kanakapura Main Road, Near Ravishankara Ashrama, Udayapura Post, Bangalore-560082, mortaged to the bank and has decided to sell the property described in Schedule "A" herein below, on **'AS IS WHERE IS BASIS'** under rules 8 & 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

DETAILS OF SALE:

Place of Auction : Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, No.113, R.V.Road, V.V.Puram, Bangalore-560004.
Date/Day & Time of Auction: 09/06/2025, Friday At 12.30 P.M.

DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHEDULE PROPERTY : All that piece and parcel of Vacant Site bearing No.116, formed under the scheme of "Ashraya Yojane" in the land bearing Sy.No.181 E-Khatha No.150200300100600337,Property No.362/116 Kaggalipura Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South taluk, Bengaluru, measuring East to West : 30-0 feet and North to South: 40-0 feet and bounded on the **East By:** Road ; **West By:** Property No.115; **North By:** Property No.100 and **South By** :Road.

Reserve Price: Rs.31,30,000/- (Rupees Thirty one Lakhs Thirty Thousand only)

Terms & Conditions of Auction : (1) For Participating in the auction, the intending bidders have to deposit 10% of reserve price of the property by Bankers Cheque/Demand Draft favouring the Authorized Officer, Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, Payable at Bangalore, which is refundable, if the bid is not successful. (2) The Successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the bid amount immediately on the sale being knocked down in his favour and the balance within 15days. Payment to be made only in the form of cash or Bankers Cheque/DD drawn in favour of the Authorized Officer, Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha (3) In case the successful bidder fails to deposit 25% of bid amount immediately on the sale being knocked down in his favour and the balance amount within 15 days, the entire deposit made by the bidder shall be forfeited by the Authorized Officer without any notice (4) The successful bidder would bear the charges/fees payable for conveyance such as Stamp duty, Registration fee etc., as applicable as per law (5) The Authorized Officer will not be held responsible for any charge, lien, encumbrance, property tax or any other dues to the Govt. or anybody in respect of the property under sale (6) The Authorized Officer has the absolute right to accept or reject the bid or adjourn/postpone the auction without assigning any reason therefore (7) The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank (8) The auction of the property will be made as per the above order or at the discretion of the Authorised Officer (9) For inspection of property, the intending bidder may contact, Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, Raghuvnahalli Branch, No.812, Sy No.62/2, 1st Floor, Vajarahalli, 100Feet Ring Road, Raghuvanahalli, Kanakapura Main Road, Bangalore-560062 during the office hours or may contact at telephone No.080- 28435152/ 28435153/ 9740498444/ 9606018414.

Date : 09.05.2025 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bangalore **Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha**

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State govt. to notify GBG Act on May 15

The current commissioner will remain at the helm of the civic body, the senior official from the Urban Development Department said.

Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot gave his assent to the Greater Bengaluru Governance Bill, 2024, in April.

In March, the Governor had returned the Bill, passed by the legislature during the Budget session, seeking clarification.

The government sent back the Bill providing clarifications following which it was cleared.

Govt. mulls over placing caste census report before local bodies

Additional volumes of the survey report, including the taluk wise and district wise population data have been provided to the Ministers, who have been asked to come prepared for the next Cabinet meeting.

"The discussion on the issue remained inconclusive," Law and Parliamentary Affairs Minister H.K. Patil told pressperspons during his post-Cabinet briefing on Friday night.

He said that during the discussion several opinions were received, but the Chief Minister was expecting to gather more opinion on the subject.

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Amidst rising water tanker prices, Sanchari Cauvery initiative launched

Under it, Bangalore Water Supply and Sewerage Board will supply water from the river in tankers

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

The much-awaited Sanchari Cauvery initiative, where the Bangalore Water Supply and Sewerage Board (BWSSB) will provide Cauvery water in tankers, was launched on Friday.

Deputy Chief Minister and Bengaluru Development Minister D.K. Shivakumar, who launched the 'Kaverionwheels' app on Friday, said it was brought to control the "water tanker mafia".

"This water tanker mafia has drilled over 3,000 borewells and has been fleecing people up to ₹3,000 per load of water. We have started this initiative to curb this. Bengaluru is the first city in the country to provide BIS certified drinking water from a river in tankers," he said.

BWSSB has roped in 250 water tankers and established 55 Cauvery Connect Centres, essentially large water tankers, mostly in the outer zones to run the initiative, said Ram Prasath Manohar, chairman, BWSSB. He also said the board has launched the dedicated app and a website for citizens to book water tankers.

The cost of a 12,000-litre tanker load of water supplied by BWSSB will be ₹1,290, within a 2-km radius and ₹70 a km thereafter.

Residents of the outer zones still dependent on water tankers lament that it has been launched only as the summer is drawing to a close and the monsoon will set in less than three weeks.

Deputy Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar inaugurating the Sanchari Cauvery initiative in Bengaluru on Friday. SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT

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Citizens can book a tanker of water and make payment on the 'Kaverionwheels' app, available on Google Play Store

- Citizens will receive a booking confirmation and details of the driver allotted. They will also be notified via SMS and app alerts and customers can track tankers through the app
- Water will be delivered within 24 hours
- BWSSB to establish a helpline for grievance redressal

BWSSB tanker pricing

- **4,000 litres** (within 2 km): **₹660 + ₹50/km** thereafter
- **5,000 litres** (within 2 km): **₹700 + ₹50/km** thereafter
- **6,000 litres** (within 2 km): **₹740 + ₹50/km** thereafter
- **12,000 litres** (within 2 km): **₹1,290 + ₹70/km** thereafter

"This is a great initiative, the decision for which was taken when the crisis was at its peak. But by the time it has been implemented, the summer is almost drawing to a close," said Jagadish Reddy of Varthur Rising.

However, BWSSB sources said that this will be a permanent programme.

Meanwhile, the prices of water tankers in the city have crossed the ₹1,500 and ₹1,700 mark for a tanker load of 12,000 litres in areas where apartments are still to get water connections under Cauvery V Stage.

A businessman who runs a fleet of water tankers in Mahadevapura zone said that with the Cauvery V Stage, the demand had indeed fallen in some pockets and that had hit the overall business of water tankers.

Sarala Cauvery launched; people can avail themselves of EMI option

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Bangalore Water Supply and Sewerage Board (BWSSB) also launched Sarala Cauvery, an initiative where residents get an option to pay the charges to get a connection in 12 EMIs, on Friday.

While apartment complexes can make a down payment of 20% of the total charges initially and pay the rest in 12 EMIs, connections for houses less than 600 sq. ft, mostly the urban poor, can get a new connection by paying just ₹1,000 and pay the rest in 12 EMIs.

"This initiative is designed to support the urban poor, middle-class families, and apartment communities," Deputy Chief Minister and Bengaluru Development Minister D.K. Shivakumar said.

No tourists at dams

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Deputy Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar said the State government has not only tightened security at all dams in the State, but had also banned tourists visiting any dams.

₹100 crore set aside for Cauvery Aarti at KRS

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Deputy Chief Minister and Bengaluru Development Minister D. K. Shivakumar said the Water Resources Department had set aside ₹100 crore to conduct Cauvery Aarti, on the lines of Ganga Aarti, at Krishnaraja Sagar. "We have formed a committee, including Departments of Kannada and Culture, Tourism, and Muzrai, and BWSSB chairman Ram Prasath Manohar who successfully conducted Cauvery Aarti at Sankey Tank in Bengaluru has been appointed its chairman," he said.

Sources said that the government was planning to make seating arrangements for 10,000 people at the venue and the event will likely be held during Dasara celebrations later this year. The programme has drawn criticism from multiple quarters, including Peoples' Union of Civil Liberties Karnataka, who have said the money should be instead used to clear the river of pollution.

Meanwhile, Mr. Shivakumar brushed aside opposition to the ₹1,900 crore project to fill tanks in Nelamangala with treated water from the Vrishabhavati Valley, for which he laid the foundation stone on Thursday.

Renewable energy: State to receive ₹5,000 cr. investments

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The Karnataka government and GAIL (India) Limited, a public sector enterprise in the natural gas sector, have signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) on Friday to establish 1 GW of renewable energy (RE) capacity in the State at an estimated outlay of ₹5,000 crore.

M.B. Patil, Minister for Large and Medium Industries and Infrastructure Development, said: "GAIL can initiate the projects by acquiring land from farmers on a lease basis or we will facilitate land allocation through KIADB. Necessary approvals, registration, and concessions will be provided swiftly."

He further said the MoU will enable GAIL to explore and develop a diversified renewable energy portfolio, including ground-mounted solar, rooftop solar, floating solar, wind energy, and mandated storage solutions. "GAIL is also keen to acquire suitable land parcels within solar parks in Karnataka to accelerate project implementation under its dedicated capital expenditure plan," the Minister added.

K.J. George, Minister for Energy, remarked that this partnership would strengthen Karnataka's standing as a green energy hub. Mr. George said the Pavagada solar park was already producing 2,050 MW of energy annually, and local farmers were ready to provide an additional 10,000 acres of land for a similar project.

High Court sets aside govt. direction on inspecting nursing institutes

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The High Court of Karnataka has set aside the direction issued by the State government on the instruction of Medical Education Minister to deputy commissioners of districts to inspect every nursing institutes in their jurisdiction.

The government cannot authorise of the deputy commissioners to inspect the nursing institutes as the authority in law to inspect them is vested with the specialised bodies like the Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Health Sciences (RGUHS), the Indian Nursing Council (INC) and the Karnataka Nursing Council (KNS), the court said.

Justice Suraj Govindaraj passed the order while allowing the petitions filed by the Karnataka State Association of the Management of Nursing and Allied Health Science Institutions and others. The petitioners had questioned the direction issued by the Principal Secretary, Health and Family Welfare, Department on November 5, 2024 to all the DCs based on the minister's instructions.

"The intent of the Minister may be noble and proper and in order to protect the interests of the students and parents, but, however, taking into consideration the legal aspects, these inspections can only be carried out by the concerned specialised agencies like the RGUHS, INC and KNC," the court made clear after taking note that the minister had issue instructions based on the complaints received from students and their parents against nursing institutes.

Create web portal

Meanwhile, the court directed the RGUHS, INC and KNC create a web portal to uploaded the reports of importation of the nursing institutes coming under their supervision so that the reports were accessible to all the authorities.

All information and data, inspection reports on infrastructure facility at each of the nursing colleges, schools, including details of all licences, sanctions, etc., issued by the authority would have to be uploaded onto the websites of the university and the councils, the court said.

It also said that the details of any litigation that the particular nursing institute was involved and any complaints received by the INC, KNC and RGUHS also would have to be uploaded on their respective web portal with an option to submit an online grievance by any student, parent or teacher/lecturer.

Retirement age for super-speciality doctors raised to 65 in Karnataka

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The Cabinet on Friday increased the retirement age for super-speciality doctors to 65 from the existing 60. Law and Parliamentary Affairs Minister H.K. Patil, who briefed presspersons after a Cabinet meeting, said that of the nearly 500 posts created for super-speciality professionals, about 250 posts have been filled up. "Keeping in view the necessity for super-speciality doctors, the retirement age has been enhanced to 65 from 60," he said.

Meanwhile, the Cabinet did not decide on the amendment to a legislation making rural services compulsory for MBBS graduates. It asked the Health Minister and Medical Education Minister to discuss the matter and bring the issue back to the Cabinet.

"Though nearly 7,000 MBBS graduates pass out, just about 1,500 posts in rural areas are available. The graduates struggle to complete the mandatory services. Hence, we want to bring amendment to address the issue and allow mandatory service in urban areas," said Mr. Patil.

It also agreed for a 4% reservation for persons with disabilities in promotions among Group A (Junior Grade) and Group B government employment.

The Cabinet also cleared the release of 48 life convicts ahead of the completion of their sentence on account of good conduct.

Among other decisions, it approved 11 fires stations and appropriate number of vehicles for them under the funds allocated by 15th Finance Commission at a cost of ₹329.9 crore. It also approved the release of 220 MLD of secondary treated water from Vrushabhavathi Valley to 41 lakes in Nelamangala and Doddaballapur taluks. This is part of the work of filling up of 259 lakes with 308 MLD from Vrushabhavathi Valley.

The Cabinet also approved floating of tenders at a cost of ₹182 crore to procure pump, motor and other materials for borewells sunk under the Ganga Kalyan Yojana funded by various development corporations.

Health Dept. issues order to recall doctors on deputation elsewhere

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Faced with an acute shortage of staff, the Health Department has directed all doctors and staff deputed to other departments for more than five years to report back with immediate effect.

According to an order issued in this regard on Wednesday, all staff including specialist doctors working on deputation in other departments, including district hospitals and medical college hospitals run by the Medical Education Department for more than five years, should report back immediately, failing which action will be initiated as per rules. The order has been issued following mature deliberations at the highest level, sources said.

Harsh Gupta, Principal Secretary (Health and Family Welfare), told *The Hindu* that there are 565 doctors, including specialists, and a large number of other staff including nurses and technicians working on deputation in other departments.

"We have noted that most of these are working in one place, mainly in urban areas, for more than 10 to 15 years. We now are working on sub-optimal utilisation of the existing resources. These doctors were deputed when the teaching hospitals were set up and can now be called back as there is a shortage of staff in the parent department. Many senior doctors are working as casualty medical officers where fresh MBBS graduates can be posted," he said.

Mr. Gupta said many are ready to work in positions below their experience just to continue staying in the urban hospitals. "If at all there is a need, we can redistribute the existing resources equitably to ensure that others also get a chance to work in urban areas," he said.

Pointing out that there is a need for specialists in facilities run by the Health Department, the Principal Secretary said: "As per rules if the vacancy position is more than 50% for a particular speciality, such critical vacancies should be filled on priority."

Suhas Shetty murder: BJP petitions Governor

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Upping the ante over the murder of Hindutva activist and rowdy sheeter Suhas Shetty in Mangaluru, the Opposition BJP on Friday petitioned Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot seeking direction to the State government to transfer the case to the National Investigation Agency (NIA) for a probe.

Leader of the Opposition in the Legislative Assembly R. Ashok, who headed the team that submitted a petition to the Governor, said the BJP did not have confidence in the Congress government, which is investigating the murder case. "We have told the Governor that the Suhas Shetty murder case had involved international contract killing," he said.

He claimed that the family of a Muslim youth, who had been killed earlier in Suratkal, had used the ₹25 lakh compensation given by the State government to hire contract killers.

He alleged that those involved in the murder had links with individuals known to raise pro-Pakistan slogans, having links with Pakistan, and supporting anti-national activities. Accusing the Congress government of adopting a soft stance over such cases, he said only an NIA probe could provide justice.

Applications invited

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The Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering at the University of Visvesvaraya College of Engineering (UVCE) has invited applications for guest faculty positions. Eligible candidates with an MTech or PhD degree in relevant subjects may apply. Those interested must submit their applications in the prescribed format, which can be downloaded from the UVCE website www.uvce.karnataka.gov.in.

Filled-in application forms should be submitted to the Registrar, UVCE, K.R. Circle, Bengaluru 560001, by May 12.

Lokayukta traps BBMP assistant engineer on charge of taking bribe

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Accused issued notice to victim for damaging a drain and threatened to foist a case

Lokayukta officials on Friday trapped an assistant engineer of the BBMP along with his associate, on the charge of accepting a bribe for an official favour. Based on a complaint by Sunil Patel, a resident of Nagadevanahalli, the officials caught Bharath, 30, a tout who was allegedly accepting the bribe on behalf of E.E. Narasimhamurthy Naik. Based on his confession, the officials arrested Naik and charged them under the PC Act.

According to officials, the accused issued a notice to Sunil for damaging a drain and threatened to foist a case against him and slap a hefty fine. When Sunil approached the accused, they allegedly demanded ₹10 lakh to drop the charges.

After negotiation, the amount was brought to ₹1 lakh. Sunil approached Lokayukta and filed a complaint.

NIMHANS to set up medical relief team

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In view of the impending situation in the country, NIMHANS has invited volunteers to constitute an emergency medical relief team (EMRT). According to a circular on Friday, Medical Superintendent K. Muralidharan has said any or all of the EMRT members can be deputed to any part of the country, including disaster sites, if required.

"The volunteers can provide/share their details to the Medical Superintendent's office through their respective HODs/section heads on or before May 14," the circular stated.

KARNATAKA INDUSTRIAL AREAS DEVELOPMENT BOARD

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
Special Land Acquisition Officer-2, (BMICP) No. 14/3, CFC Building, Maharshi Aravinda Bhavana, 1st Floor, Nrupathunga Road, Bengaluru-560001

No.: KIADB/LAQ/419/2025-26 Date: 07.05.2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

(As per Karnataka Industrial Area Development Act 1966 Sec 28(6))

For acquiring the lands with the below mentioned Survey Numbers in Hulikunte, Doddamankanala and Kadathippanahalli Villages, Doddabelavangala Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District for Industrial Development, under Karnataka Industrial Area Development Act 1966 Sec 28(4), Government Notification No. CI 29 SPQ 2024 Dated 18.03.2025 as per State Gazette publication dated 20.03.2025 from page No. 2697 to 2769 has been published. As per Karnataka Industrial Area Development Act 1966 Sec 28(5) the properties detailed below are vested with the Karnataka State Government free from all types of encumberances. Notice as per Sec 28(6) has been issued to the concerned Khatedars/Anubhavdars. As the correct address of some of the land owners are not available and, some of the property owners refused to receive the notice, this Notice is being published in the newspaper. It is informed that the custody of the said property has to be handed over to the undersigned Officer or an officer appointed by him within 30 days of publication of this Notice. Failing which, it is hereby informed that further action will be initiated as per Karnataka Industrial Area Development Act 1966 Sec 28(7).

Survey No. details of Lands being acquired

Sl. No.	Name of Khatedar	Name of Anubhavdar	Survey No.	Acquisition Area		
				Ainu A-G	Kharabu A-G	Remaining A-G
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Village: Hulikunte Hobli: Doddabelavangala Taluk: Doddaballapura District: Bengaluru Rural					
1	M. Narpath Kumar S/o Mishrimal, M. Mukesh Kumar S/o Mishrimal, M. Mahendra Kumar S/o Mishrimal, Mishrimal S/o Vagthavarmal, Ugamraj Bhandari S/o Late Sohan Raj Bhandari, Bhavar Lal Bhandari S/o Sohan Raj Bhandari, Jawaharlal Bhandari S/o Sohan Raj Bhandari	M. Narpath Kumar S/o Mishrimal, M. Mukesh Kumar S/o Mishrimal, M. Mahendra Kumar S/o Mishrimal, Mishrimal S/o Vagthavarmal, Ugamraj Bhandari S/o Late Sohan Raj Bhandari, Bhavar Lal Bhandari S/o Sohan Raj Bhandari, Jawaharlal Bhandari S/o Sohan Raj Bhandari	139/1	2-19.08	-	2-19.08
2	D.B. Anil Kumar S/o D.M. Basavaraju	D.B. Anil Kumar S/o D.M. Basavaraju	139/2	1-25	-	1-25
3	Lingadevaru S/o Late Marigangaiah, Rudresh S/o Late Marigangaiah	Lingadevaru S/o Late Marigangaiah, Rudresh S/o Late Marigangaiah	139/3	1-26	-	1-26
4	Suryanarayanarao, Kumaraswamy S/o Late Siddalingaiah, B.R. Ashwathanarayanappa, Rangashamaiah, B.R. Ashwathanarayanappa, Yogeshwaramma D/o Late Bheemaiah, Parameshwaraiah S/o Late Chikkarudrappa, Shanthamurthy S/o Late Chikkarudrappa, G.C. Neelambika W/o Late G. Gangadaraiah, Mallika W/o Late Chandrashekaraiah, D.A. Govindegowda S/o Arasegowda, Basattaiah Vagaire, Gangaiah S/o Veeradasaiah, Nagarathnamma D/o Late Venkataramanaiah, Narasa S/o Shamba, Ranga S/o Ajja, M. Yellappa S/o Malurappa, M. Siddappa S/o Malurappa, Mallakka W/o Late Paapanna, M. Yellappa S/o Malurappa, M. Siddappa S/o Malurappa, Lakshmamma W/o Late Beerappa, Mallakka W/o Late Paapanna, M. Yellappa S/o Malurappa, M. Siddappa S/o Malurappa, Lakshmamma W/o Late Beerappa, Mallakka W/o Late Paapanna, Mallaiah S/o Kaadaiah, Hottappa S/o Kaadaiah, K. Lingaiah S/o Kaadaiah, P. Mangala W/o C.G. Umesh, P. Mohanakumari W/o Raveendra, Mallakka W/o Late Paapanna, Hanumatharayappa S/o Late Paapanna, Puttanjinappa S/o Late Paapanna, Bylappa S/o Late Paapanna, Gopalakrishna S/o Late Paapanna, Krishnappa S/o Late Paapanna, R. Nanjappa S/o Late Rudrappa, Siddalingappa S/o Late Rudrappa, Chikkaveerappa S/o Late Rudrappa, Nagaraju S/o Late Rudrappa, Basavaraju S/o Late Rudrappa, Girish S/o Late Rudrappa, Chikkaramaiah, Ramaiah S/o Kariaiah, Yogeeshwaramma D/o Late Bheemaiah, Sri Basavaraju Swamigalu Khanimatadhipathi, H.C. Narasimhapathi, H.C. Ramaiah S/o Chikkahanumaiah, Hanumaiah S/o Siddaramaiah, Rangappa Sridhara K.A. S/o Kalegowda, Narasimhaiah, Gangabyraiah S/o Byranna, Gangabyraiah S/o Byranna, T.L. Lakshmana S/o Late T.N. Lakshminarasimhaiah, Gangabyraiah S/o Byranna, T.L. Lakshmana S/o Late T.N. Lakshminarasimhaiah, R. Gurudeva S/o Rajanna, R. Gurudeva S/o Rajanna, To Govt., Siddaiah S/o Linganna, Pancharathnamma W/o B.E. Prakash, S. Manjunath S/o Siddappa, Gangabyraiah S/o Byranna, R. Kannan Naidu S/o Rangabashyam Naidu, Mallaiah S/o Kaadaiah, Hotappa S/o Kaadaiah, K. Lingaiah S/o Kaadaiah, To Govt.,Muthaiah S/o Muthaiah, Ramaiah S/o Karianna, Prabhukumar S/o Late Veerakyathaiah, G.V. Ramachandrakumar S/o Late Veerakyathaiah, Doddamuddaiah, Chikkamuddaiah, Venkataramanaiah S/o Narasimhaiah, Revamma D/o Gangadharaiah, Nagaiah S/o Late Chikkeerappa, Devaraju S/o Late Chikkeerappa, Krishnamurthy S/o Late Chikkeerappa, Lakshmaiah S/o Venkatanarasaiah, Ningamma W/o Late Kaadaiah, S. Sunil Kumar S/o D. Shivananda, Byramma, Eeramma W/o Anjanappa, Byregowda S/o Late Enjarappa Urf Hencharappa, Siddagangappa S/o Late Enjarappa Urf Hencharappa, Siddaraju S/o Late Enjarappa Urf Hencharappa,Shankarappa S/o Late Enjarappa Urf Hencharappa, Thimmakka W/o Late Rangappa, Pancharathnamma W/o Prakash B.E., Revamma D/o Basavarajaiah, Pancharathna P. 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S/o Shankarappa, Adaveeshaiah S/o Siddalingaiah, Chikkaarasaiah S/o Venkataramanaiah, Ganganarasaiah S/o Doddavenkataiah, Yoggeshwaramma D/o Late Bheemaiah, S. Manjunatha S/o Siddappa, Sarkari Gomaala, Hanumantharayappa S/o Gangaiah, Gangadhar S/o Narasahanumaiah, Lakkamma W/o Doddavenkataramanaiah, Siddagangamma W/o H.G. Shivanna, Jayamma W/o Siddappa, Mangalagowramma W/o Late G.V. Shivanna, Bylappa S/o Siddegowda, Kempabyraiah S/o Siddegowda, Markandaiah S/o Siddegowda, Shivakumar S/o Late Linganna, Lokesh G. S/o Late G. Gangappa, Jagadeesh G. S/o Late G. Gangappa, Gurushankar G. S/o Late G. Gangappa, Lalitha W/o Late Chandra, Lalitha W/o Late Chandra, Thimmarasamma W/o Late Gangahanumaiah, Lakshmidevamma W/o Late Nagaraju, Umadevi W/o Late Kumar B., Harish Hanumanthaiah S/o Late Hanumanthaiah, G., Anil Kumar H.D. S/o Late Hanumanthaiah, G., Sowbhagya W/o Late B. Siddaraju, Honnamma W/o Late Venkatarangaiah, Kenchamma W/o Late Kalkerappa, Ashwathaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa, Ramaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa, Hanumantharayappa S/o Late Kalkerappa, Ramaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa, Hanumantharayappa S/o Late Kalkerappa, Byramma D/o Late Narasimhaiah, Malaiah S/o Late Narasimhaiah, Siddaraju S/o Late Narasimhaiah, Manjamma D/o Late Narasimhaiah, Jayalakshmamma D/o Late Narasimhaiah, Muniraju S/o Late Narasimhaiah, Mahimakka D/o Late Narasimhaiah, Gangamma D/o Late Hanumanthaiah, Gangamma D/o Late Hanumanthaiah, G. Puttarangaiah S/o Gangappa, Kemparangamma W/o Late Nagappa, Kemparangamma W/o Late Nagappa, H.V. Veeraiah S/o Late Veerabhadraiah, Kempamma D/o Late Veerabhadraiah, Lakshmamma D/o Late Veerabhadraiah, Gangaiah S/o Late Rangappa, Rangadhamaiah S/o Late Rangappa, M. Yallappa S/o Late Maluraiah.	Suryanarayanarao, Kumaraswamy S/o Late Siddalingaiah, B.R. Ashwathanarayanappa, Rangashamaiah, B.R. Ashwathanarayanappa, Yogeshwaramma D/o Late Bheemaiah, Parameshwaraiah S/o Late Chikkarudrappa, Shanthamurthy S/o Late Chikkarudrappa, G.C. Neelambika W/o Late G. Gangadaraiah, Mallika W/o Late Chandrashekaraiah, D.A. Govindegowda S/o Arasegowda, Basattaiah Vagaire, Gangaiah S/o Veeradasaiah, Nagarathnamma D/o Late Venkataramanaiah, Narasa S/o Shamba, Ranga S/o Ajja, M. Yellappa S/o Malurappa, M. Siddappa S/o Malurappa, Mallakka W/o Late Paapanna, M. Yellappa S/o Malurappa, M. Siddappa S/o Malurappa, Lakshmamma W/o Late Beerappa, Mallakka W/o Late Paapanna, M. Yellappa S/o Malurappa, M. Siddappa S/o Malurappa, Lakshmamma W/o Late Beerappa, Mallakka W/o Late Paapanna, Mallaiah S/o Kaadaiah, Hottappa S/o Kaadaiah, K. Lingaiah S/o Kaadaiah, P. Mangala W/o C.G. Umesh, P. Mohanakumari W/o Raveendra, Mallakka W/o Late Paapanna, Hanumatharayappa S/o Late Paapanna, Puttanjinappa S/o Late Paapanna, Bylappa S/o Late Paapanna, Gopalakrishna S/o Late Paapanna, Krishnappa S/o Late Paapanna, R. Nanjappa S/o Late Rudrappa, Siddalingappa S/o Late Rudrappa, Chikkaveerappa S/o Late Rudrappa, Nagaraju S/o Late Rudrappa, Basavaraju S/o Late Rudrappa, Girish S/o Late Rudrappa, Chikkaramaiah, Ramaiah S/o Kariaiah, Yogeeshwaramma D/o Late Bheemaiah, Sri Basavaraju Swamigalu Khanimatadhipathi, H.C. Narasimhapathi, H.C. Ramaiah S/o Chikkahanumaiah, Hanumaiah S/o Siddaramaiah, Rangappa Sridhara K.A. S/o Kalegowda, Narasimhaiah, Gangabyraiah S/o Byranna, Gangabyraiah S/o Byranna, T.L. Lakshmana S/o Late T.N. Lakshminarasimhaiah, Gangabyraiah S/o Byranna, T.L. Lakshmana S/o Late T.N. Lakshminarasimhaiah, R. Gurudeva S/o Rajanna, R. Gurudeva S/o Rajanna, To Govt., Siddaiah S/o Linganna, Pancharathnamma W/o B.E. Prakash, S. Manjunath S/o Siddappa, Gangabyraiah S/o Byranna, R. Kannan Naidu S/o Rangabashyam Naidu, Mallaiah S/o Kaadaiah, Hotappa S/o Kaadaiah, K. Lingaiah S/o Kaadaiah, To Govt., Muthaiah S/o Muthaiah, Ramaiah S/o Karianna, Prabhukumar S/o Late Veerakyathaiah. G.V. Ramachandrakumar S/o Late Veerakyathaiah, Doddamuddaiah, Chikkamuddaiah, Venkataramanaiah S/o Narasimhaiah, Revamma D/o Gangadharaiah, Nagaiah S/o Late Chikkeerappa, Devaraju S/o Late Chikkeerappa, Krishnamurthy S/o Late Chikkeerappa, Lakshmaiah S/o Venkatanarasaiah, Ningamma W/o Late Kaadaiah, S. Sunil Kumar S/o D. Shivananda, Byramma, Eeramma W/o Anjanappa, Byregowda S/o Late Enjarappa Urf Hencharappa, Siddagangappa S/o Late Enjarappa Urf Hencharappa, Siddaraju S/o Late Enjarappa Urf Hencharappa,Shankarappa S/o Late Enjarappa Urf Hencharappa, Thimmakka W/o Late Rangappa, Pancharathnamma W/o Prakash B.E., Revamma D/o Basavarajaiah, Pancharathna P. W/o Prakash B.E., Revamma D/o Gangadharappa, Muddahanumaiah, Basavaraju S/o Rajanna, Rangappa S/o Puttaiah, Chikkarasappa, Rangahanumaiah, Puttaiah S/o Puttarangappa, Gowramma W/o Late Jayanna D.S., Maraaramma W/o Anjanappa, Channamaraiah S/o Late Nanjudappa, Basavarajamma D/oLate Byrappa, Varalakshmi D/o Late Byrappa, Byranna S/o Karianna, Anjanappa, Thimmaiah S/o Venkalenkappa, Gangaiah, Ganga D/o Narasabyranna, Baragooraiah S/o Hucchahanumaiah, Veerappa, S. Venkatesh S/o Late Hucchavenkataramanaiah, Chikkaarasaiah S/o Late Venkataramanaiah, H.S. Vishwanath S/o Late Shivarudraiah, Narasamma W/o Late Hanumananjaiah, Hanumanthrayappa S/o Gangaiah, Gangalakshmamma Urf Gowramma W/o Hanumantharayappa, Lakshminarasimhaiah S/o Late Ganganarasaiah, Naryanappa S/o Late Ganganarasaiah, Muthahanumakka W/o Late Ganganjinappa, Muniamma W/o Basappa, Nagaiah S/o Maluriah, Narasamma W/o Hucchakadaraiah, Gangamma - Late Narasimhaiah, Chetana S. D/o Shankarappa, Rakesh S. S/o Shankarappa, Adaveeshaiah S/o Siddalingaiah, Chikkaarasaiah S/o Venkataramanaiah, Ganganarasaiah S/o Doddavenkataiah, Yoggeshwaramma D/o Late Bheemaiah, S. Manjunatha S/o Siddappa, Sarkari Gomaala, Hanumantharayappa S/o Gangaiah, Gangadhar S/o Narasahanumaiah, Lakkamma W/o Doddavenkataramanaiah, Siddagangamma W/o H.G. Shivanna, Jayamma W/o Siddappa, Mangalagowramma W/o Late G.V. Shivanna, Bylappa S/o Siddegowda, Kempabyraiah S/o Siddegowda, Markandaiah S/o Siddegowda, Shivakumar S/o Late Linganna, Lokesh G. S/o Late G. Gangappa, Jagadeesh G. S/o Late G. Gangappa, Gurushankar G. S/o Late G. Gangappa, Lalitha W/o Late Chandra, Lalitha W/o Late Chandra, Thimmarasamma W/o Late Gangahanumaiah, Lakshmidevamma W/o Late Nagaraju, Umadevi W/o Late Kumar B., Harish Hanumanthaiah S/o Late Hanumanthaiah, G., Anil Kumar H.D. S/o Late Hanumanthaiah, G., Sowbhagya W/o Late B. Siddaraju, Honnamma W/o Late Venkatarangaiah, Kenchamma W/o Late Kalkerappa, Ashwathaiah H.K. 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5	Shambulingaiah S/o Gangaiah, Shanthakumari W/o Mahadevaiah, Shanthakumari W/o Mahadevaiah,	Shambulingaiah S/o Gangaiah, Shanthakumari W/o Mahadevaiah, Shanthakumari W/o Mahadevaiah,	151/1	5-04	0-03	5-01
6	Bherumal Jain S/o Hasthimal Ji Designated Partner of M/s Palvith Developers L.L.C.	Bherumal Jain S/o Hasthimal Ji Designated Partner of M/s Palvith Developers L.L.C.	151/2A	1-13	0-01	1-12
7	G. Mahadevaiah S/o Basavaiah.	G. Mahadevaiah S/o Basavaiah.	151/2B	1-14	0-01	1-13
8	Vijay Kumar S/o Late Siddappa, Sujatha W/o Vijaykumar.	Vijay Kumar S/o Late Siddappa, Sujatha W/o Vijaykumar.	151/3	2-15	0-06	2-09
9	Vijay Kumar S/o Late Siddappa, Sujatha W/o Vijaykumar.	Vijay Kumar S/o Late Siddappa, Sujatha W/o Vijaykumar.	151/4	0-13	-	0-13
10	Susheelamma W/o Late M. Basavaiah	Susheelamma W/o Late M. Basavaiah	151/5	3-34	0-24	3-10
11	Trustee G.M. Lingaraju S/o Late G. Mallikarjunappa on behalf of Sri G. Mallikarjunappa Halamma Trust	Trustee G.M. Lingaraju S/o Late G. Mallikarjunappa on behalf of Sri G. Mallikarjunappa Halamma Trust	151/6	1-00	-	1-00
12	G. Mahadevaiah S/o Basavaiah	G. Mahadevaiah S/o Basavaiah	151/7	1-23	0-03	1-20
13	Prakash S/o D. Veerappa	Prakash S/o D. Veerappa	152/1	0-28	-	0-28
14	Prakash S/o D. Veerappa Tejas Kumar D.P. S/o V. Prakash	Prakash S/o D. Veerappa Tejas Kumar D.P. S/o V. Prakash	152/2	3-02	0-04	2-38
15	G. Mallikarjunappa, Trustee G.M. Lingaraju S/o Late G. Mallikarjunappa on behalf of Sri G. Mallikarjunappa Halamma Trust	G. Mallikarjunappa, Trustee G.M. Lingaraju S/o Late G. Mallikarjunappa on behalf of Sri G. Mallikarjunappa Halamma Trust	152/3	1-12	0-07	1-05
16	G. Mallikarjunappa, Trustee G.M. Lingaraju S/o Late G. Mallikarjunappa on behalf of Sri G. Mallikarjunappa Halamma Trust	G. Mallikarjunappa, Trustee G.M. Lingaraju S/o Late G. Mallikarjunappa on behalf of Sri G. Mallikarjunappa Halamma Trust	152/4	1-38	0-04	1-34
17	Shivanna S/o Chinnappa	Shivanna S/o Chinnappa	152/5	1-16	-	1-16
18	D.A. Shivakumar S/o D. Veerappa	D.A. Shivakumar S/o D. Veerappa	152/6	3-08	0-05	3-03
19	Sumangala W/o Late Shivakumar Urf V. Kumar	Sumangala W/o Late Shivakumar Urf V. Kumar	159/1	1-10	-	1-10
20	H.V. Somashekaraiah S/o Late Veerabhadraiah	H.V. Somashekaraiah S/o Late Veerabhadraiah	159/2	1-11	-	1-11
21	Rudresh S/o Late Veerabhadraiah	Rudresh S/o Late Veerabhadraiah	159/3	1-10	-	1-10
22	Shivarudraiah S/o Channabasavaiah	Shivarudraiah S/o Channabasavaiah	160/2	3-10	-	3-10
23	Palanethralaiah S/o Gangappa, Manjula W/o Late Shivakumar, Manjula W/o Late Shivakumar	Palanethralaiah S/o Gangappa, Manjula W/o Late Shivakumar, Manjula W/o Late Shivakumar	160/6 160/14 160/15	0-09.08	-	0-09.08
24	Smt. Sumithradevi D/o V.M. Annigeri	Smt. Sumithradevi D/o V.M. Annigeri	160/8	0-15.08	-	0-15.08
25	Bherumal Jain S/o Hasthimal Ji Designated Partner on behalf of M/s Palvith Developers L.L.C.	Bherumal Jain S/o Hasthimal Ji Designated Partner on behalf of M/s Palvith Developers L.L.C.	160/9	1-15	-	1-15
26	Thimmakka W/o Gangachannaiah	Thimmakka W/o Gangachannaiah	160/10	0-25	0-07	0-18
27	Thimmakka W/o Gangachannaiah	Thimmakka W/o Gangachannaiah	160/11	0-37.08	0-02	0-35.08
28	G. Gangamuthaiah S/o Govindappa	G. Gangamuthaiah S/o Govindappa	160/12	0-06.08	-	0-06.08
29	Sri Bherumala jain S/o Hasthimal Jain	Sri Bherumala jain S/o Hasthimal Jain	160/14	0-35.12	0-04	0-31.12
30	Siddappa C. S/o Channappa, Sharadamma W/o Late H.C. Gangadharaiah, Basamma W/o Chikkahanumaiah, Lakshmamma W/o Narasappa, Munigangamma D/o Hanumakka, Sarkari AAkara Kanda, Basamma W/o Chikkahanumaiah, Ajith Kumar T. S/o Late Thankappan Pillai	Siddappa C. S/o Channappa, Sharadamma W/o Late H.C. Gangadharaiah, Basamma W/o Chikkahanumaiah, Lakshmamma W/o Narasappa, Munigangamma D/o Hanumakka, Sarkari AAkara Kanda, Basamma W/o Chikkahanumaiah, Ajith Kumar T. S/o Late Thankappan Pillai	163/1 & 163/2	1-25.04 14-11	- 6-28	1-25.04 7-23
31	M.S. Pushpavathi W/o H.R. Mahadevaiah	M.S. Pushpavathi W/o H.R. Mahadevaiah	164	4-22	-	4-22
32	Prasannakumar S/o Late Karibasavaiah	Prasannakumar S/o Late Karibasavaiah	165/1	1-13.08	-	1-13.08
33	Girijamma W/o Late Vishwanath	Girijamma W/o Late Vishwanath	165/2	1-13.08	-	1-13.08
34	Umapathi H.K. S/o Late Karibasavaiah	Umapathi H.K. S/o Late Karibasavaiah	165/3	1-13.08	-	1-13.08
35	Renukamma W/o Late Nataraju	Renukamma W/o Late Nataraju	165/4	1-13.08	-	1-13.08
36	Pashupathi S/o Karibasavaiah	Pashupathi S/o Karibasavaiah	166/1	1-34	-	1-34
37	Somashekaraiah S/o H. Basavaraju, Somashekaraiah S/o H. Basavaraju	Somashekaraiah S/o H. Basavaraju, Somashekaraiah S/o H. Basavaraju	166/2	2-01	-	2-01
38	Kempahanuma S/o Hanumantha, Kempi W/o Mara	Kempahanuma S/o Hanumantha, Kempi W/o Mara	167	0-15.08	-	0-15.08
39	Dr. Srinivas H. S/o Hanumappa, Dr. Srinivas H. S/o Hanumappa, Bhu Pa.	Dr. Srinivas H. S/o Hanumappa, Dr. Srinivas H. S/o Hanumappa, Bhu Pa.	168/5	1-23.12	-	1-23.12
40	Karibasamma W/o Late Shivanna, Kidigannappa V.S. S/o Late Shivanna	Karibasamma W/o Late Shivanna, Kidigannappa V.S. S/o Late Shivanna	169/1	0-25	-	0-25
41	H.V. Raviprasad S/o H.V. Kidigannarudraiah	H.V. Raviprasad S/o H.V. Kidigannarudraiah	169/2	1-11	-	1-11

42	H.P. Chandrekaraiah S/o Late Parameshwaraiah	H.P. Chandrekaraiah S/o Late Parameshwaraiah	169/3	1-10	-	1-10
43	Chikkanarayanappa	Chikkanarayanappa	169/4	1-10	-	1-10
44	H.P. Manjunathaswamy S/o Late Parameshwaraiah	H.P. Manjunathaswamy S/o Late Parameshwaraiah	169/5	1-10	-	1-10
45	H.K. Arun Kumar S/o H.V. Kidigannarudraiah	H.K. Arun Kumar S/o H.V. Kidigannarudraiah	169/6	1-10	-	1-10
46	Mahadevamma Urf Akka mahadevamma D/o Late Shivanna, Shyamakumar M. S/o Mahadevappa	Mahadevamma Urf Akka mahadevamma D/o Late Shivanna, Shyamakumar M. S/o Mahadevappa	169/7	0-25	-	0-25
47	S. Rajashekaraiah S/o Late Siddagangaiah, S. Shivakumar S/o Late Siddagangaiah	S. Rajashekaraiah S/o Late Siddagangaiah, S. Shivakumar S/o Late Siddagangaiah	170/1	0-18.12	0-03	0-15.12
48	K. Ramachandrasaralaraya S/o Late G.V. Saralaya	K. Ramachandrasaralaraya S/o Late G.V. Saralaya	170/2	0-15.12	0-00.08	0-15.04
49	T.S. Jagadamba W/o Late H.V. Shambulingaiah	T.S. Jagadamba W/o Late H.V. Shambulingaiah	170/7	0-21.08	0-00.08	0-21
50	H.S. Rajashekaraiah S/o Late Siddagangaiah, S. Shivakumar S/o Late Siddagangaiah	H.S. Rajashekaraiah S/o Late Siddagangaiah, S. Shivakumar S/o Late Siddagangaiah	170/11	0-38.08	-	0-38.08
51	Mahadevamma Urf Akka mahadevamma D/o Late Shivanna, Shyamakumar M. S/o Mahadevappa	Mahadevamma Urf Akka mahadevamma D/o Late Shivanna, Shyamakumar M. S/o Mahadevappa	170/12	0-13.12	-	0-13.12
52	Chandrashekaraiah H.P., Manjunathaswamy H.P.	Chandrashekaraiah H.P., Manjunathaswamy H.P.	170/13	0-27.08	-	0-27.08
53	Raghu R.G. S/o R.M. Govindaiah - Bhu Pa.	Raghu R.G. S/o R.M. Govindaiah-Bhu Pa.	170/17	0-07.04	0-00.04	0-07
54	Karibasamma W/o Late Shivanna, Kidigannappa V.S. S/o Late Shivanna	Karibasamma W/o Late Shivanna, Kidigannappa V.S. S/o Late Shivanna	170/18	0-13.12	-	0-13.12
55	K. Ramachandrasaralaraya S/o Late G.V. Saralaya	K. Ramachandrasaralaraya S/o Late G.V. Saralaya	172/4	0-23.04	-	0-23.04
56	K. Ramachandrasaralaraya S/o Late G.V. Saralaya	K. Ramachandrasaralaraya S/o Late G.V. Saralaya	172/5	0-23.08	-	0-23.08
57	K. Ramachandrasaralaraya S/o Late G.V. Saralaya	K. Ramachandrasaralaraya S/o Late G.V. Saralaya	172/6	0-23.12	-	0-23.12
58	K. Ramachandrasaralaraya S/o Late G.V. Saralaya	K. Ramachandrasaralaraya S/o Late G.V. Saralaya	172/7	0-24.08	0-00.08	0-24
59	Gangaiah S/o Late Rangappa, Rangadhamaiah S/o Late Rangappa	Gangaiah S/o Late Rangappa, Rangadhamaiah S/o Late Rangappa	172/2	1-12	0-02	1-10
60	Gangaiah S/o Late Rangappa, Rangadhamaiah S/o Late Rangappa	Gangaiah S/o Late Rangappa, Rangadhamaiah S/o Late Rangappa	172/3	1-05	0-02	1-03
61	V. Girijamma D/o B.H. Veerappa	V. Girijamma D/o B.H. Veerappa	173/2	2-04	0-01	2-03
62	Ramaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa	Ramaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa	173/3	0-28	-	0-28
63	Hanumatharayappa S/o Late Kalkerappa	Hanumatharayappa S/o Late Kalkerappa	173/4	0-28	-	0-28
64	Malleshaiah S/o Basettappa	Malleshaiah S/o Basettappa	174/1	1-00	-	1-00
65	Nandeesha S/o Basettappa	Nandeesha S/o Basettappa	174/4	1-00	-	1-00
66	Smt. Gangarajamma D/o Late Puttamma	Smt. Gangarajamma D/o Late Puttamma	174/2	0-08	-	0-08
67	Gangarajamma W/o Siddappa	Gangarajamma W/o Siddappa	174/3	2-02	0-01	2-01
68	Sumangala H.B. D/o Basettappa	Sumangala H.B. D/o Basettappa	174/21	0-02	-	0-02
69	Mahadevamma D/o Late Ganagappa	Mahadevamma D/o Late Ganagappa	175/1	3-20	0-05	3-15
70	Rajamma D/o Late Ganagappa	Rajamma D/o Late Ganagappa	175/2	2-06	0-02	2-04
71	Rajamma D/o Late Ganagappa	Rajamma D/o Late Ganagappa	176/1	1-28	-	1-28
72	H. Manjunatha S/o Late Holeyappa	H. Manjunatha S/o Late Holeyappa	176/2	2-24	0-01	2-23
73	Vikram Simha	Vikram Simha	176/3	1-21	-	1-21
74	Mamatha S.H. Shantharajanna H.R.	Mamatha S.H. Shantharajanna H.R.	176/4	0-30	-	0-30
75	Muraramma W/o Late lingappa, Kenchamma W/o Late Kalkerappa, Ashwathaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa, Ramaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa, Hanumatharayappa S/o Late Kalkerappa, Ganagaiah S/o Late Rangappa	Muraramma W/o Late lingappa, Kenchamma W/o Late Kalkerappa, Ashwathaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa, Ramaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa, Hanumatharayappa S/o Late Kalkerappa, Ganagaiah S/o Late Rangappa	177	3-25	0-04	3-21
76	Sri C. Rudraiah S/o Chikkamallaiah	Sri C. Rudraiah S/o Chikkamallaiah	178/1	0-02	-	0-02
77	C. Rudraiah S/o Late Puttamma, Shanthabasappa S/o Chikkamallaiah, S. Manjunath S/o Shanthabasappa, C. Basatappa S/o Late Puttamma, C. Rudraiah S/o Late Puttamma, Puttamma W/o Chikkamallaiah	C. Rudraiah S/o Late Puttamma, Shanthabasappa S/o Chikkamallaiah, S. Manjunath S/o Shanthabasappa, C. Basatappa S/o Late Puttamma, C. Rudraiah S/o Late Puttamma, Puttamma W/o Chikkamallaiah	178/2	5-02	0-12	4-30
78	Sarkari Gomala	Sarkari Gomala	179	0-07	0-07	-
79	Hanumatharayappa S/o Rangappa, Siddaraju S/o Rangappa, Rangaswamaiah S/o Rangappa, Ramamurthy S/o Rangappa	Hanumatharayappa S/o Rangappa, Siddaraju S/o Rangappa, Rangaswamaiah S/o Rangappa, Ramamurthy S/o Rangappa	181/1	2-07	-	2-07
80	G. Muniyappa S/o Late Gurappa, G. Ramachandraiah S/o Late Gurappa	G. Muniyappa S/o Late Gurappa, G. Ramachandraiah S/o Late Gurappa	181/2	2-01	-	2-01
81	Jayalakshmi W/o Late T. Rangaswamaiah, Kamala W/o Dinesh	Jayalakshmi W/o Late T. Rangaswamaiah, Kamala W/o Dinesh	182/1	6-31	0-02	6-29
82	Jayalakshmi W/o Late Rangaswamaiah	Jayalakshmi W/o Late Rangaswamaiah	182/2	1-24	0-01	1-23
83	Rangahanumaiah S/o Puttaiah, Ashwathaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa, Siddarajaiah S/o Chikkarasappa, Bhumika H.R. D/o Late Rangaswamaiah, Manjunath H.R. S/o Late Rangaswamaiah	Rangahanumaiah S/o Puttaiah, Ashwathaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa, Siddarajaiah S/o Chikkarasappa, Bhumika H.R. D/o Late Rangaswamaiah, Manjunath H.R. S/o Late Rangaswamaiah	183/1	2-35	0-01	2-34
84	Rangaswamaiah S/o Rangappa, Ramamurthy S/o Rangappa	Rangaswamaiah S/o Rangappa, Ramamurthy S/o Rangappa	183/2	0-24.12	0-01	0-23.12
85	2ne Papanna, 3ne Beerappa, M. Siddapa S/o Late Maluraiah, M. Yallappa S/o Late Maluraiah	2ne Papanna, 3ne Beerappa, M. Siddapa S/o Late Maluraiah, M. Yallappa S/o Late Maluraiah	Part of 183/3A	1-05	-	1-05
86	2ne Papanna, 3ne Beerappa, M. Siddapa S/o Late Maluraiah, M. Yallappa S/o Late Maluraiah, Original Katedhars	2ne Papanna, 3ne Beerappa, M. Siddapa S/o Late Maluraiah, M. Yallappa S/o Late Maluraiah, Original Katedhars	Part of 183/4A	0-29	-	0-29
87	H.K. Pashupathi Vaghire, V.N. Karibasavaiah	H.K. Pashupathi Vaghire, V.N. Karibasavaiah	236	2-00	-	2-00
88	H.K. Pashupathi Vaghire, V.N. Karibasavaiah	H.K. Pashupathi Vaghire, V.N. Karibasavaiah	237	2-00	-	2-00
89	V. Muniamma D/o Kemparamaiah, Kemparamaiah, Ramachandraiah	V. Muniamma D/o Kemparamaiah, Kemparamaiah, Ramachandraiah	238	2-00	-	2-00
90	Sri A. Satyanarayana S/o Late P.V. Appareddy	Sri A. Satyanarayana S/o Late P.V. Appareddy	239	2-00	-	2-00
91	Shwetha N. W/o N. Chandru	Shwetha N. W/o N. Chandru	240/1	1-00	-	1-00
92	Shwetha N. W/o N. Chandru	Shwetha N. W/o N. Chandru	240/2	1-00	-	1-00
93	Uday Kumar H.L. S/o Late Lakshmana, Vinodraj S/o Late Lakshmana	Uday Kumar H.L. S/o Late Lakshmana, Vinodraj S/o Late Lakshmana	241	2-00	-	2-00
94	Sri A. Satyanarayana S/o Late P.V. Appareddy	Sri A. Satyanarayana S/o Late P.V. Appareddy	242	2-00	-	2-00
95	Muniamma W/o Late Chikkaramaiah and Kempaiah, Ramachandraiah, Kemparamaiah	Muniamma W/o Late Chikkaramaiah and Kempaiah, Ramachandraiah, Kemparamaiah	243	2-00	-	2-00
96	Narasaiah S/o Ramaiah	Narasaiah S/o Ramaiah	244	2-00	-	2-00
97	Munikrishnappa S/o Late Narasimaiah, Muninanjappa S/o Late Narasimaiah	Munikrishnappa S/o Late Narasimaiah, Muninanjappa S/o Late Narasimaiah	245	2-00	-	2-00
98	Sowbhagyamma D/o Nanjundaiah	Sowbhagyamma D/o Nanjundaiah	251	5-00	-	5-00
99	Henjarappa H.L. S/o Linganna	Henjarappa H.L. S/o Linganna	252/1	1-19	-	1-19
100	Gangappa S/o Late Veeranna	Gangappa S/o Late Veeranna	252/2	0-02	-	0-02
101	H.L. Somashekaraiah S/o Linganna	H.L. Somashekaraiah S/o Linganna	252/3	1-19	-	1-19
102	H.L. Krishnamurthy S/o Linganna	H.L. Krishnamurthy S/o Linganna	252/4	1-19	-	1-19
103	Mounika M.A. S/o Late V. Amaresh Reddy	Mounika M.A. S/o Late V. Amaresh Reddy	252/5	1-19	-	1-19
104	R. Lingaraju S/o N. Rudrappa	R. Lingaraju S/o N. Rudrappa	253/1	1-18	0-03	1-15
105	Sowmya M.L. D/o Late Lakshmnarayana M.R.	Sowmya M.L. D/o Late Lakshmnarayana M.R.	253/2	1-15	0-03	1-12
106	S. Renuka W/o S. Raju	S. Renuka W/o S. Raju	253/3	1-06	0-02	1-04
107	D.S. Sowbhagyavathi W/o S. Shivarudraiah	D.S. Sowbhagyavathi W/o S. Shivarudraiah	253/4	1-02	0-02	1-00
108	K.R. Chandrappa S/o Late Rangaiah	K.R. Chandrappa S/o Late Rangaiah	253/5	0-01	-	0-01
109	Sowmya M.L. D/o Late Lakshmnarayana M.R.	Sowmya M.L. D/o Late Lakshmnarayana M.R.	254/1	1-37	-	1-37
110	K.R. Chandrappa S/o Late Rangaiah	K.R. Chandrappa S/o Late Rangaiah	254/2	1-29.08	-	1-29.08
111	Sowmya M.L. D/o Late Lakshmnarayana M.R.	Sowmya M.L. D/o Late Lakshmnarayana M.R.	254/3	0-33.8	-	0-33.8
112	S. Renuka W/o S. Raju	S. Renuka W/o S. Raju	254/4	0-36	-	0-36
113	S. Chetan S/o Yogeshwaramma, S. Rakesh S/o Yogeshwaramma, Ashwathanarakayanappa S/o Ramaiah	S. Chetan S/o Yogeshwaramma, S. Rakesh S/o Yogeshwaramma, Ashwathanarakayanappa S/o Ramaiah	255/1 255/2	5-31	-	5-31
114	Yatheendra H.A. S/o Ashwathanarayana	Yatheendra H.A. S/o Ashwathanarayana	256/1	3-17	0-12	3-05
115	S. Chetan S/o Yogeshwaramma, S. Rakesh S/o Yogeshwaramma	S. Chetan S/o Yogeshwaramma, S. Rakesh S/o Yogeshwaramma	256/2	3-35	-	3-35
116	Kempabairaiah, Mururannaiah, Bylappa	Kempabairaiah, Mururannaiah, Bylappa	257	5-39	0-15	5-24
117	Original Khatedars	Original Khatedars	258/1	1-12	-	1-12
118	Yogeeshwaraama D/o Late Bheemaiah	Yogeeshwaraama D/o Late Bheemaiah	258/2	2-20	-	2-20
119	Chikkaramappa S/o Kariappa	Chikkaramappa S/o Kariappa	258/3	1-10	-	1-10
120	B.R. Ashwathanarayanappa	B.R.Ashwathanarayanappa	259	5-24	0-10	5-14
121	B.R. Ashwathanarayanappa	B.R.Ashwathanarayanappa	260	5-21	0-02	5-19
122	B.R. Ashwathanarayanappa	B.R.Ashwathanarayanappa	261	5-14	0-10	5-04
123	Muddamma W/o Late Narayanappa	Muddamma W/o Late Narayanappa	262/1	1-00	-	1-00
124	Gangappa S/o Late Veeranna	Gangappa S/o Late Veeranna	262/2	1-00	-	1-00
125	Lakshmamma W/o Late Linganna S.	Lakshmamma W/o Late Linganna S.	262/3	0-28	-	0-28
126	V. Ramesh S/o Late Veeranna	V. Ramesh S/o Late Veeranna	262/4	2-21	-	2-21
127	Krishnappa S/o Late Hanumathaiah	Krishnappa S/o Late Hanumathaiah	263/1	0-15	-	0-15
128	S.L. Mamatha W/o N.C. Anand	S.L. Mamatha W/o N.C. Anand	263/2	2-00	-	2-00
129	Muniyappa S/o Late Veeranna	Muniyappa S/o Late Veeranna	263/3	2-00	-	2-00
130	Gangappa S/o Late Veeranna	Gangappa S/o Late Veeranna	263/4	1-00	-	1-00
131	T.L. Lakshman S/o Late Lakshminarasimhaiah T.N.	T.L. Lakshman S/o Late Lakshminarasimhaiah T.N.	264/1	0-31	-	0-31
132	T.L. Lakshman @ Lakshman gowda S/o Late Lakshminarasimhaiah T.N.	T.L. Lakshman @ Lakshman gowda S/o Late Lakshminarasimhaiah T.N.	264/2	2-12	0-12	2-00
133	T.L. Lakshman @ Lakshman gowda S/o Late Lakshminarasimhaiah T.N.	T.L. Lakshman @ Lakshman gowda S/o Late Lakshminarasimhaiah T.N.	264/3	1-03	0-03	1-00
134	L. Siddaraju S/o Late Linganna	L. Siddaraju S/o Late Linganna	264/4	0-31	-	0-31
135	L. Krishnappa S/o Late Linganna	L. Krishnappa S/o Late Linganna	264/5	0-31	-	0-31
136	Hanumantharaju H. S/o Late Byranna	Hanumantharaju H. S/o Late Byranna	265/1	1-27.08	0-03.08	1-24
137	Siddaraju S/o Late Byranna	Siddaraju S/o Late Byranna	265/2	1-25.08	0-01.08	1-24
138	Puttalingaiah S/o Late Byranna	Puttalingaiah S/o Late Byranna	265/3	2-10	-	2-10
139	Thimmakka W/o Late 2ne Muthaiah,	Thimmakka W/o Late 2ne Muthaiah,	267/1	3-09	0-02	3-07
140	Channamaraiah S/o Late Nanjundappa	Channamaraiah S/o Late Nanjundappa	268	5-04	0-05	4-39
141	H.V. Veeraiah S/o Veerabhadraiah	H.V. Veeraiah S/o Veerabhadraiah	269	5-07	-	5-07
142	H.C. Madhu S/o Late H.N. Chandrashekaraiah	H.C. Madhu S/o Late H.N. Chandrashekaraiah	284/1	1-01	0-01	1-00
143	D.B. Gangadharappa S/o Basavaraju, Meenakshamma W/o Dakshinamurthy	D.B. Gangadharappa S/o Basavaraju, Meenakshamma W/o Dakshinamurthy	284/2	0-19.08	0-00.08	0-19
144	Revanna S/o Late Channabasavegowda	Revanna S/o Late Channabasavegowda	284/3	0-15.08	0-00.08	0-15
145	Suresh S/o Late Channabasavegowda	Suresh S/o Late Channabasavegowda	284/4	0-15.08	0-00.08	0-15
146	Dakshayini W/o Basavaraja	Dakshayini W/o Basavaraja	284/5	0-15.08	0-00.08	0-15
147	Renukamma W/o Late Renukaiah	Renukamma W/o Late Renukaiah	284/6	1-26	0-02	1-24
148	Suneetha M.H. W/o Ashwathanarayana	Suneetha M.H. W/o Ashwathanarayana	284/7	1-01	0-01	1-00
149	Krishnappa S/o Dasanna	Krishnappa S/o Dasanna	285/1	1-19	0-02.08	1-16.08
150	Gangaraju H. S/o Hanumantharayappa	Gangaraju H. S/o Hanumantharayappa	285/2	1-19	0-02.08	1-16.08
151	R. Shivakumar S/o P. Rajanna	R. Shivakumar S/o P. Rajanna	285/3	2-14	0-04	2-10
152	M.R. Gangaiah	M.R. Gangaiah	286/1	2-00	-	2-00
153	Channamma W/o Late Byrappa, Manjesh B. S/o Late Byrappa, Muniraju G. S/o Late Byrappa,	Channamma W/o Late Byrappa, Manjesh B. S/o Late Byrappa, Muniraju G. S/o Late Byrappa,	286/2	3-02	-	3-02
154	Pancharathnamma W/o Prakash Kumar	Pancharathnamma W/o Prakash Kumar	287/1	3-00	0-03	2-37
155	Ashwathaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa	Ashwathaiah H.K. S/o Late Kalkerappa	287/2	2-02	0-02	2-00
156	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	288	1-39	-	1-39
157	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	289	2-10	-	2-10
158	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	290	2-10	-	2-10
159	Jawar Lal S/o Late Son Raj Bhandari, Bhawar Lal S/o Late Son Raj Bhandari, Ugam Raj S/o Late Son Raj Bhandari,	Jawar Lal S/o Late Son Raj Bhandari, Bhawar Lal S/o Late Son Raj Bhandari, Ugam Raj S/o Late Son Raj Bhandari,	291	2-12	-	2-12
160	Lakshmamma W/o Late Veerabhadraiah	Lakshmamma W/o Late Veerabhadraiah	292	2-15	-	2-15
161	Venkatamma W/o Poojaramaiah, Ramakrishnaiah, Puttaramaiah	Venkatamma W/o Poojaramaiah, Ramakrishnaiah, Puttaramaiah	293	2-09	-	2-09
162	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	295	2-00	-	2-00
163	Anjinappa S/o Kempahanumaiah	Anjinappa S/o Kempahanumaiah	296	2-00	-	2-00
164	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	297	2-00	-	2-00
165	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	N. Kavitha Bhat W/o Dr. Rajaram K.G.	298	2-00	-	2-00
166	B.M. Ravi S/o Munigowda	B.M. Ravi S/o Munigowda	301/1	1-00	-	1-00
167	G.S. Ramanjina Reddy S/o G. Sanjeevappa	G.S. Ramanjina Reddy S/o G. Sanjeevappa	301/2	1-00	-	1-00
168	S. Rajashekaraiah S/o Late Siddagangaiah, S. Shivakumar S/o Late Siddagangaiah	S. Rajashekaraiah S/o Late Siddagangaiah, S. Shivakumar S/o Late Siddagangaiah	302	2-00	-	2-00
169	Hanumanthaiah S/o Mutha	Hanumanthaiah S/o Mutha	307	2-00	-	2-00
170	Jayashree J. W/o Ganesh G.	Jayashree J. W/o Ganesh G.	308	2-00	-	2-00
171	Narasimhamurthy L. S/o Late Lakshmaiah	Narasimhamurthy L. S/o Late Lakshmaiah	309/1	1-00	-	1-00
172	Mamatha S.H. W/o Shantharajanna H.R.	Mamatha S.H. W/o Shantharajanna H.R.	309/2	1-00	-	1-00
173	Y. Vijayalakshmi W/o Y.V.R. Narasireddy	Y. Vijayalakshmi W/o Y.V.R. Narasireddy	310	2-00	-	2-00
174	Y. Vijayalakshmi W/o Y.V.R. Narasireddy	Y. Vijayalakshmi W/o Y.V.R. Narasireddy	311	2-00	-	2-00
175	Ganganarasaiah S/o Late Doddavenkataramanaiah, Lakshmana S/o Late Doddavenkataramanaiah, Venkatesh S/o Late Doddavenkataramanaiah	Ganganarasaiah S/o Late Doddavenkataramanaiah, Lakshmana S/o Late Doddavenkataramanaiah, Venkatesh S/o Late Doddavenkataramanaiah	312	2-00	-	2-00
176	Narasamma W/o Hucchakadaraiah	Narasamma W/o Hucchakadaraiah	313	2-00	-	2-00
177	Balaji T.N. S/o Late T.V. Narayanarao, Balaji Prithvi S/o T.N. Balaji	Balaji T.N. S/o Late T.V. Narayanarao, Balaji Prithvi S/o T.N. Balaji	314	2-00	-	2-00
178	Mutharayappa S/o Late Giriappa	Mutharayappa S/o Late Giriappa	315	2-00	-	2-00
179	Lankappa S/o Doddahanumanthaiah	Lankappa S/o Doddahanumanthaiah	316	2-00	-	2-00
180	H. Thirumalaiah S/o Late Hanumanthaiah, C.H. Lakshmaiah S/o Late Hanumanthaiah	H. Thirumalaiah S/o Late Hanumanthaiah, C.H. Lakshmaiah S/o Late Hanumanthaiah	317	2-00	-	2-00
181	Mamatha S.H. W/o Shantharajanna H.R.	Mamatha S.H. W/o Shantharajanna H.R.	318	2-00	-	2-00
182	Hanumantharayappa S/o Ganganarasaiah	Hanumantharayappa S/o Ganganarasaiah	319	2-00	-	2-00
			Total	**557-34.08**	**240-11.12**	**317-22.12**

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1	Lakshmidevamma W/o Late Ranganjinappa	Lakshmidevamma W/o Late Ranganjinappa	16/1	0-18	-	0-18
2	Hanumantharaju S/o Munihanumanthaiah	Hanumantharaju S/o Munihanumanthaiah	16/2	0-20	-	0-20
3	Lakshmidevamma W/o Late Ranganjinappa	Lakshmidevamma W/o Late Ranganjinappa	16/3	2-08	-	2-08
4	Nagaraju S/o Late Thimmaiah	Nagaraju S/o Late Thimmaiah	16/4	0-23	-	0-23
5	Ravi V. S/o Veerakyathaiah	Ravi V. S/o Veerakyathaiah	16/5	0-28	-	0-28
6	Usharani R. W/o Ravi V.	Usharani R. W/o Ravi V.	16/6	1-21	-	1-21

7	Ravi V. S/o Veerakyathaiah	Ravi V. S/o Veerakyathaiah	16/7	1-03.08	0-05.08	0-38
8	Hanumantharaju S/o Munihanumanthaiah	Hanumantharaju S/o Munihanumanthaiah	16/8	0-28	-	0-28
9	Ravi V. S/o Veerakyathaiah	Ravi V. S/o Veerakyathaiah	16/9	1-02.08	0-04.08	0-38
10	Ramanna S/o Thimmaiah, Srinivasaiah S/o Thimmaiah, T. Rangadhamaiah S/o Thimmaiah	Ramanna S/o Thimmaiah, Srinivasaiah S/o Thimmaiah, T. Rangadhamaiah S/o Thimmaiah	17/1	2-29.08	0-02.08	2-27
11	Govindaiah S/o Thimmaiah, T. Rangadhamaiah S/o Thimmaiah	Govindaiah S/o Thimmaiah, T. Rangadhamaiah S/o Thimmaiah	17/2	2-30.08	0-03.08	2-27
12	Muthuraju S/o Late Puttarangaiah, Mariappa S/o Late Puttarangaiah, Ramakka D/o Late Puttarangaiah	Muthuraju S/o Late Puttarangaiah, Mariappa S/o Late Puttarangaiah, Ramakka D/o Late Puttarangaiah	18/1	3-02.12	0-02.12	3-00
13	Narasimaiah S/o Late Krishnappa	Narasimaiah S/o Late Krishnappa	18/2	3-39.08	0-01.08	3-38
14	Muthuraju S/o Late Puttarangaiah, Mariappa S/o Late Puttarangaiah, Ramakka D/o Late Puttarangaiah	Muthuraju S/o Late Puttarangaiah, Mariappa S/o Late Puttarangaiah, Ramakka D/o Late Puttarangaiah	18/3	1-00.08	0-00.08	1-00
15	Sharadamma W/o Late Chikkanagappa	Sharadamma W/o Late Chikkanagappa	18/4	2-03.04	0-03.04	2-00
16	Mahesh Domahalli S/o Basavanthappa	Mahesh Domahalli S/o Basavanthappa	19	2-13	0-06	2-07
17	Sarkari Gundu Thopu	Sarkari Gundu Thopu	20	1-26	1-26	-
18	Sarkari Gomala	Sarkari Gomala	21/1	1-28	-	1-28
19	Madhu D.E. S/o Eeshwarappa D.	Madhu D.E. S/o Eeshwarappa D.	21/2	1-10	-	1-10
20	Narasimaiah S/o Krishnappa	Narasimaiah S/o Krishnappa	21/3	0-08	-	0-08
21	Vankadaru Vara Prasad S/o Vankadaru Devendrappa	Vankadaru Vara Prasad S/o Vankadaru Devendrappa	21/4	1-12	-	1-12
22	Shivanna S/o Rudraiah	Shivanna S/o Rudraiah	21/5	0-18	-	0-18
23	Sarkari Gomala	Sarkari Gomala	21/6	5-21	-	5-21
24	Rangamma W/o Naganna	Rangamma W/o Naganna	21/7	0-26	-	0-26
25	Rathnamma W/o Rangahanumaiah	Rathnamma W/o Rangahanumaiah	21/8	0-14	-	0-14
26	Arasamma W/o Late Muthaiah	Arasamma W/o Late Muthaiah	21/9	0-15	-	0-15
27	Hanumareddappa S/o Late Thimmareddappa Hanganakatti	Hanumareddappa S/o Late Thimmareddappa Hanganakatti	21/10	1-21	-	1-21
28	R. Shashanka Patil S/o Thimmanagowda	R. Shashanka Patil S/o Thimmanagowda	21/11	0-21	-	0-21
29	Praveen Angadi S/o Sharanappa, Kiran Sharanappa, Agadi S/o Sharanappa, Arun Agadi S/o Sharanappa, Sunilkumar Fakirappa Kothambari S/o Fakirappa	Praveen Angadi S/o Sharanappa, Kiran Sharanappa, Agadi S/o Sharanappa, Arun Agadi S/o Sharanappa, Sunilkumar Fakirappa Kothambari S/o Fakirappa	21/12	3-30	-	3-30
30	Mahesh Domahalli S/o Basavanthappa	Mahesh Domahalli S/o Basavanthappa	22/1	10-11	0-25	9-26
31	Padmamma W/o Rajanna	Padmamma W/o Rajanna	22/2	0-39	0-09	0-30
32	Gangalakshmamma W/o Munthuraju	Gangalakshmamma W/o Munthuraju	22/3	1-16	0-01	1-15
33	Sri Khanimatha (Sri Basavaraja Swamy Representing it)	Sri Khanimatha (Sri Basavaraja Swamy Representing it)	23/1	2-29	0-29	2-00
34	Mahesh Domahalli S/o Basavanthappa @ Basavantharaya Doranahalli	Mahesh Domahalli S/o Basavanthappa @ Basavantharaya Doranahalli	23/2	0-12	0-02	0-10
35	Mahesh Domahalli S/o Basavanthappa @ Basavantharaya Doranahalli	Mahesh Domahalli S/o Basavanthappa @ Basavantharaya Doranahalli	23/3	3-29	0-17	3-12
36	Mahesh Domahalli S/o Basavanthappa	Mahesh Domahalli S/o Basavanthappa	24	0-34	-	0-34
37	Hullubanni Gangaiah S/o Dalapujagaiah, Chikkarangamma W/o Narayanappa, Narayanappa S/o Seenappa, Ranganatha S/o Thimmadasappa	Hullubanni Gangaiah S/o Dalapujagaiah, Chikkarangamma W/o Narayanappa, Narayanappa S/o Seenappa, Ranganatha S/o Thimmadasappa	25	29-00	29-00	-
38	Sarkari Paalu	Sarkari Paalu	26/¦1	8-04	0-16	7-28
39	Sarkari Gomala, Muniamma D/o Late Moodlaiah, Lakshmamma D/o Late Moodlaiah, Venkateshappa S/o Late Moodlaiah, Saakamma D/o Late Moodlaiah, Jayamma D/o Late Moodlaiah	Sarkari Gomala, Muniamma D/o Late Moodlaiah, Lakshmamma D/o Late Moodlaiah, Venkateshappa S/o Late Moodlaiah, Saakamma D/o Late Moodlaiah, Jayamma D/o Late Moodlaiah	28	7-33	7-33	-
40	Sarkari Gomala, Nagesh A. S/o B.H. Ashwathamma, Krishnappa, Ananda Kumara S/o Thoreyappa, Chikka Arasaiah	Sarkari Gomala, Nagesh A. S/o B.H. Ashwathamma, Krishnappa, Ananda Kumara S/o Thoreyappa, Chikka Arasaiah	29	15-10	15-10	-
41	Gangamma W/o Late Nagappa, Rangamma D/o Veerakyathaiah	Gangamma W/o Late Nagappa, Rangamma D/o Veerakyathaiah	30	2-23	0-02	2-21
42	Kodappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Narasamma W/o H. Govindaiah, H. Govindaiah, s/o Hanumanthaiah, Muddarangappa S/o Rangarasappa, Banappa S/o Nanjaiah Urf Kapinappa, Nanjegowda S/o Late Hanumaiah, Ammajamma W/o Late Anjinappa Urf Kidiappa, Devappa S/o Late Rangahanumaiah, Basappa, S/o Late Rangahanumaiah	Kodappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Narasamma W/o H. Govindaiah, H. Govindaiah, s/o Hanumanthaiah, Muddarangappa S/o Rangarasappa, Banappa S/o Nanjaiah Urf Kapinappa, Nanjegowda S/o Late Hanumaiah, Ammajamma W/o Late Anjinappa Urf Kidiappa, Devappa S/o Late Rangahanumaiah, Basappa, S/o Late Rangahanumaiah	31	2-03	0-03	2-00
43	Kodappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Narasamma W/o H. Govindaiah, Muddarangappa S/o Rangarasappa, Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, Subbaiah S/o Hanumanthaiah, Nanjaiah S/o Kannaiah, Banappa S/o Nanjaiah Urf Kapinappa, Narayanappa S/o Thippaiah, Mooru Kannaiah S/o Late Chikkalingappa	Kodappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Narasamma W/o H. Govindaiah, Muddarangappa S/o Rangarasappa, Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, Subbaiah S/o Hanumanthaiah, Nanjaiah S/o Kannaiah, Banappa S/o Nanjaiah Urf Kapinappa, Narayanappa S/o Thippaiah, Mooru Kannaiah S/o Late Chikkalingappa	32	1-19	0-02	1-17
44	Kodappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Thimmakka W/o Ramakrishnaiah, Hanumantharayappa S/o Rangaiah, Lakshmidevamma W/o Ramakrishnaiah, Muthaiah S/o Maraiah, Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, Subbaiah S/o Hanumanthaiah, H. Venkatappa S/o Huliappa, H. Chikkathimmaiah S/o Huliappa, Original Khatedars, Narayanappa S/o Thippaiah	Kodappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Thimmakka W/o Ramakrishnaiah, Hanumantharayappa S/o Rangaiah, Lakshmidevamma W/o Ramakrishnaiah, Muthaiah S/o Maraiah, Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, Subbaiah S/o Hanumanthaiah, H. Venkatappa S/o Huliappa, H. Chikkathimmaiah S/o Huliappa, Original Khatedars, Narayanappa S/o Thippaiah	33	1-28	0-01	1-27
45	Kodappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Thimmakka W/o Ramakrishnaiah, Lakshmidevamma W/o Ramakrishnaiah, Doniappa - S/o Nagaiah, Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, Subbaiah S/o Hanumanthaiah, H. Venkatappa S/o Huliappa, H. Chikkathimmaiah S/o Huliappa, Nagamma W/o Late Hanumantharayappa, Manjula W/o Late Rangahanumaiah, Anjinamurthy S/o Late Hanumantharayappa, M.G. Rangadhamaiah S/o Late Gangaiah, Muniraju S/o Late Gangaiah,, G. Srinivasamurthy S/o Late Gangaiah, G. Ravikumar S/o Late Gangaiah, Padmavathi W/o Late Keshavamurthy	Kodappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Thimmakka W/o Ramakrishnaiah, Lakshmidevamma W/o Ramakrishnaiah, Doniappa - S/o Nagaiah, Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, Subbaiah S/o Hanumanthaiah, H. Venkatappa S/o Huliappa, H. Chikkathimmaiah S/o Huliappa, Nagamma W/o Late Hanumantharayappa, Manjula W/o Late Rangahanumaiah, Anjinamurthy S/o Late Hanumantharayappa, M.G. Rangadhamaiah S/o Late Gangaiah, Muniraju S/o Late Gangaiah,, G. Srinivasamurthy S/o Late Gangaiah, G. Ravikumar S/o Late Gangaiah, Padmavathi W/o Late Keshavamurthy	34	1-18	-	1-18
46	Thimmakka W/o Ramakrishnaiah, Mutharasaiah S/o Maraiah, Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, Subbaiah S/o Hanumanthaiah, H. Venkatappa S/o Huliappa, H. Chikkathimmaiah S/o Huliappa	Thimmakka W/o Ramakrishnaiah, Mutharasaiah S/o Maraiah, Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, Subbaiah S/o Hanumanthaiah, H. Venkatappa S/o Huliappa, H. Chikkathimmaiah S/o Huliappa	35/1	0-19.08	-	0-19.08
47	Hanumakka D/o Nagamma	Hanumakka D/o Nagamma	35/2	0-21.08	-	0-21.08
48	Purushothama S/o Late Obaiah	Purushothama S/o Late Obaiah	36	0-38	0-03	0-35
49	B.M. Narasigharao S/o M.N. Bheemasenarao	B.M. Narasigharao S/o M.N. Bheemasenarao	37	0-35	0-01	0-34
50	C. Ramakrishnaiah S/o Chikkarangaiah, Doddaiah S/o rangaiah, Muthamma W/o Doddaiah Original Khatedars	C. Ramakrishnaiah S/o Chikkarangaiah, Doddaiah S/o rangaiah, Muthamma W/o Doddaiah Original Khatedars	38/1	3-17	0-06	3-11
51	Srirangaraju M.N. Late Narasimhaiah R.	Srirangaraju M.N. Late Narasimhaiah R.	38/2	0-09	-	0-09
52	Sarkari Gomala Nagesh A. S/o B.H. Ashwathamma, Supreetha P. D/o Radhamma, Muthaiah S/o Chikkanagaiah, Muthuraju S/o Puttarangaiah, Supreetha P. D/o Radhamma, Narasamma D/o Late Narayanappa, Muniraju S/o Late Narayanappa, Jayamary D/o Late Narayanappa	Sarkari Gomala Nagesh A. S/o B.H. Ashwathamma, Supreetha P. D/o Radhamma, Muthaiah S/o Chikkanagaiah, Muthuraju S/o Puttarangaiah, Supreetha P. D/o Radhamma, Narasamma D/o Late Narayanappa, Muniraju S/o Late Narayanappa, Jayamary D/o Late Narayanappa	39	14-18	14-18	-
53	Sarkari Gomala Nagesh A. S/o B.H. Ashwathamma, Nagesh A. S/o B.H. Ashwathamma, Mutharayappa S/o Venkataramaiah, Parvathamma W/o Shigangaiah Gangamma W/o Hanumantharayappa, Mangalamma W/o Nagesh	Sarkari Gomala Nagesh A. S/o B.H. Ashwathamma, Nagesh A. S/o B.H. Ashwathamma, Mutharayappa S/o Venkataramaiah, Parvathamma W/o Shigangaiah Gangamma W/o Hanumantharayappa, Mangalamma W/o Nagesh	40	30-11	30-11	-
54	Sarkari Gomala	Sarkari Gomala	41	1-19	1-19	-
55	Nagaiah S/o kalluveeraiah, Muddamma D/o Late Thimmaiah, T. Nagaraja S/o Late Thimmaiah, Srinivasamurthy T. S/o Late Thimmaiah, Devaraja T. S/o Late Thimmaiah	Nagaiah S/o kalluveeraiah, Muddamma D/o Late Thimmaiah, T. Nagaraja S/o Late Thimmaiah, Srinivasamurthy T. S/o Late Thimmaiah, Devaraja T. S/o Late Thimmaiah	42/1	1-10	0-04	1-06
56	Dasappa S/o Marappa	Dasappa S/o Marappa	42/2	1-26	0-01	1-25
57	Sarkari Gomala, Veerakyathaiah S/o Kodiappa, Rangappa S/o Naganna, Thimmaiah S/o Late Gangaiah, Ramesh S/o Narasimhamurthy, Padmamma W/o Rajanna, N. Kodappa S/o Late Nagappa, Srinivasaiah S/o Nagaiah	Sarkari Gomala, Veerakyathaiah S/o Kodiappa, Rangappa S/o Naganna, Thimmaiah S/o Late Gangaiah, Ramesh S/o Narasimhamurthy, Padmamma W/o Rajanna, N. Kodappa S/o Late Nagappa, Srinivasaiah S/o Nagaiah	83/1	17-33	0-31	17-02
58	Rangappa S/o Late Nagappa	Rangappa S/o Late Nagappa	84/1	0-10	-	0-10
59	N. Srinivasa S/o Late Nagappa	N. Srinivasa S/o Late Nagappa	84/2	0-37.08	-	0-37.08
60	N. Kodappa S/o Late Nagappa	N. Kodappa S/o Late Nagappa	84/3	1-07.08	0-10	0-37.08
61	V. Chikkarangaiah S/o Veerakyathaiah	V. Chikkarangaiah S/o Veerakyathaiah	84/4	1-06	0-05	1-01
62	V. Chikkarangaiah S/o Veerakyathaiah	V. Chikkarangaiah S/o Veerakyathaiah	84/5	1-05	0-05	1-00
63	N. Kodappa S/o Late Nagappa	N. Kodappa S/o Late Nagappa	84/6	1-06.08	0-06.08	1-00
64	N. Kodappa S/o Late Nagappa	N. Kodappa S/o Late Nagappa	84/7	1-06	0-06	1-00
65	Hanumakka W/o Rangappa	Hanumakka W/o Rangappa	84/8	2-11.08	0-11.08	2-00
66	Rangaiah S/o Govindappa	Rangaiah S/o Govindappa	87/1	2-20.08	-	2-20.08
67	Thimmaiah S/o Govindappa	Thimmaiah S/o Govindappa	87/2	2-20.08	-	2-20.08
68	Padmamma W/o Rajanna	Padmamma W/o Rajanna	89	4-00	-	4-00
69	Shwetha G.N. W/o Malathesha T.R.	Shwetha G.N. W/o Malathesha T.R.	93	4-00	0-14	3-26
70	Narayanachar S/o Late Krishnachar, Harishachar S/o Late Krishnachar, Janardhanachar S/o Late Krishnachar, Murthy S/o Late Krishnachar	Narayanachar S/o Late Krishnachar, Harishachar S/o Late Krishnachar, Janardhanachar S/o Late Krishnachar, Murthy S/o Late Krishnachar	94	1-01	-	1-01
71	Muniyappa S/o Ramanagowda	Muniyappa S/o Ramanagowda	95/1	2-01.04	0-03.04	1-38
72	Muniyappa S/o Ramanagowda	Muniyappa S/o Ramanagowda	95/2	2-01.12	0-03.12	1-38
73	Sri M.S. Ananthamurthy S/o Late M. Srinivasarao	Sri M.S. Ananthamurthy S/o Late M. Srinivasarao	96/1	1-01.08	0-05	0-36.08
74	Smt. Seethamma W/o Late Venkateshamurthy	Smt. Seethamma W/o Late Venkateshamurthy	96/2	0-36.08	-	0-36.08
75	Sri M. Sathyanarayanarao S/o Late M. Srinivasarao	Sri M. Sathyanarayanarao S/o Late M. Srinivasarao	96/3	0-36.08	-	0-36.08
76	Sri Sripadarao S/o Late M. Srinivasarao	Sri Sripadarao S/o Late M. Srinivasarao	96/4	1-05.08	0-09	0-36.08
77	Rekha Ganesh Urf Rekhamma D/o Late Shivannagowda	Rekha Ganesh Urf Rekhamma D/o Late Shivannagowda	97/1	1-24	0-04	1-20
78	Shivamma M. W/o Venkateshamurthy	Shivamma M. W/o Venkateshamurthy	97/2	1-24	0-04	1-20
79	Ashwathamma W/o M.G. Rangashyamaiah	Ashwathamma W/o M.G. Rangashyamaiah	97/3	2-29	0-05	2-24
80	Rangahanumaiah R. S/o Rangaswamaiah Urf Rangashamaiah, Srinivasaiah S/o Rangaswamaiah Urf Rangashamaiah, Rangaraju S/o Rangaswamaiah Urf Rangashamaiah,	Rangahanumaiah R. S/o Rangaswamaiah Urf Rangashamaiah, Srinivasaiah S/o Rangaswamaiah Urf Rangashamaiah, Rangaraju S/o Rangaswamaiah Urf Rangashamaiah,	97/4	2-29	0-06	2-23
81	B.M. Narasingharao S/o M.N. Bheemasenarao	B.M. Narasingharao S/o M.N. Bheemasenarao	98	2-36	0-17	2-19
82	Gururao, B.M. Narasingharao S/o M.N. Bheemasenarao	Gururao, B.M. Narasingharao S/o M.N. Bheemasenarao	99/1 & 99/2	6-08	0-04	6-00
83	C. Rathnamma W/o H. Shivakumar	C. Rathnamma W/o H. Shivakumar	100/1	2-02.04	0-02.04	2-00
84	Puttamma W/o Late Rangappa, Narasamma W/o Late Ranganjinappa, Muthamma W/o Late Rangaswamy, Rangamma W/o Late rangahanumaiah	Puttamma W/o Late Rangappa, Narasamma W/o Late Ranganjinappa, Muthamma W/o Late Rangaswamy, Rangamma W/o Late rangahanumaiah	100/2	2-13.04	0-13.04	2-00
85	Chikkarangappa S/o Eeranna	Chikkarangappa S/o Eeranna	101/1	1-03	0-03	1-00
86	Ravi V. S/o Veerakyathappa	Ravi V. S/o Veerakyathappa	101/2	2-01	0-01	2-00
87	B.M. Narasingharao S/o M.N. Bheemasenarao	B.M. Narasingharao S/o M.N. Bheemasenarao	103	2-12	0-07	2-05
88	Chandan B.R. S/o M. Rajanna, Ashwin P. S/o Parameshwarappa D.R., Santosh Kumar K. S/o K.T. Krishnappa, Kenchamma B. W/o H.K. Ranganatha, Geetha W/o Satish G.	Chandan B.R. S/o M. Rajanna, Ashwin P. S/o Parameshwarappa D.R., Santosh Kumar K. S/o K.T. Krishnappa, Kenchamma B. W/o H.K. Ranganatha, Geetha W/o Satish G.	104	4-00	0-09	3-31
89	Chikkanagaiah	Chikkanagaiah	105	2-00	0-25	1-15
			Total	**269-02**	**108-39.08**	**160-02.08**

Village: Kadathippanahalli Hobli: Doddabelavangala Taluk: Doddaballapura District: Bengaluru Rural

1	Dasappa S/o Marappa, Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa	Dasappa S/o Marappa, Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa	1/1	0-32	0-06	0-26
2	Sital Bhandari D/o Mahendra Bhandari	Sital Bhandari D/o Mahendra Bhandari	1/2	0-36	-	0-36
3	Ashoka S.G. S/o Sangappa Gattiganur	Ashoka S.G. S/o Sangappa Gattiganur	1/3	0-16	0-04	0-12
4	Doddaiah S/o Rangaiah, Kondappa S/o Chikkarangaiah	Doddaiah S/o Rangaiah, Kondappa S/o Chikkarangaiah	2/1	0-29	-	0-29
5	Lakkahanumaiah S/o Lakkaiah	Lakkahanumaiah S/o Lakkaiah	2/2	0-05	-	0-05
6	Ashoka S.G. S/o Sangappa Gattiganur	Ashoka S.G. S/o Sangappa Gattiganur	2/3	0-08	-	0-08
7	Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa	Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa	2/4	0-10	-	0-10
8	Chikkarangaiah S/o Mariappa, Kodappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Dasappa S/o Marappa	Chikkarangaiah S/o Mariappa, Kodappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Dasappa S/o Marappa	3/1	0-18.12	0-01.12	0-17
9	Ashoka S.G. S/o Sangappa Gattiganur	Ashoka S.G. S/o Sangappa Gattiganur	3/2	0-05.04	0-00.04	0-05
10	Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, lakkahanumaiah S/o Lakkaiah	Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, lakkahanumaiah S/o Lakkaiah	3/3	0-12	0-01	0-11
11	Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, Doddaiah S/o Rangaiah, Kotappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Dasappa S/o Marappa, Nagamma W/o Hanumanthaiah	Hanumaiah S/o Anjinappa, Doddaiah S/o Rangaiah, Kotappa S/o Chikkarangaiah, Dasappa S/o Marappa, Nagamma W/o Hanumanthaiah	4/1	4-22	0-02	4-20
12	Raghu V. S/o P. Venkatesh	Raghu V. S/o P. Venkatesh	4/2	0-35	-	0-35
13	Marthesh R. S/o Late Rangappa, Anjinappa S/o Muniraju, Ramachandrappa S/o Yellappa, Hanumakka W/o D. Thimmaiah, Narasamma W/o Thimmaiah, Eerakythaiah S/o Thimmaiah, Ramaiah S/o Venkatachalaiah, Hanumakka W/o Govindaiah,Rangappa S/o Govindappa, Ramaiah S/o Thoreyappa, Gangamma W/o Lakkappa, Venkateshappa S/o Mudlappa, Obalaiah S/o Gangaiah, Soorappa S/o Narasappa, Gangamma W/o Late Thimmaiah, Khadrinarasimhaiah S/o Obalaiah, Naveen Kumar R. S/o Rajanna, Naveen Kumar S/o Rajanna, Sanjeevamurthy S/o Ramakrishnaiah, Hanumakka W/o Chikkarangaiah, Keshavamurthy S/o Ramakrishnaiah, Rathnamma W/o Chandrashekaraiah, Srinivasamurthy S/o Ramakrishnaiah, Venkatesh S/o Lakshminarasimhaiah, Krishnappa S/o Gangappa, Hanumakka W/o Late Lakkappa, Thayamma W/o Veerappa, Nagojappa S/o Chikkanagappa, Kariappa S/o Muniyappa, Ramanna S/o Thimmaiah,	Marthesh R. S/o Late Rangappa, Anjinappa S/o Muniraju, Ramachandrappa S/o Yellappa, Hanumakka W/o D. Thimmaiah, Narasamma W/o Thimmaiah, Eerakythaiah S/o Thimmaiah, Ramaiah S/o Venkatachalaiah, Hanumakka W/o Govindaiah,Rangappa S/o Govindappa, Ramaiah S/o Thoreyappa, Gangamma W/o Lakkappa, Venkateshappa S/o Mudlappa, Obalaiah S/o Gangaiah, Soorappa S/o Narasappa, Gangamma W/o Late Thimmaiah, Khadrinarasimhaiah S/o Obalaiah, Naveen Kumar R. S/o Rajanna, Naveen Kumar S/o Rajanna, Sanjeevamurthy S/o Ramakrishnaiah, Hanumakka W/o Chikkarangaiah, Keshavamurthy S/o Ramakrishnaiah, Rathnamma W/o Chandrashekaraiah, Srinivasamurthy S/o Ramakrishnaiah, Venkatesh S/o Lakshminarasimhaiah, Krishnappa S/o Gangappa, Hanumakka W/o Late Lakkappa, Thayamma W/o Veerappa, Nagojappa S/o Chikkanagappa, Kariappa S/o Muniyappa, Ramanna S/o Thimmaiah,	5	147-02	147-02	-

Panel to hold another meeting on closure of varsities

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

A Cabinet sub-committee has decided to hold another meeting after it was unable to take a unanimous decision on the closure of nine of the 10 new universities started during the BJP government tenure. The sub-committee, headed by Deputy Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar, held its second meeting on Friday to review the financial condition of the universities.

In the first meeting, it was decided to close nine universities, including the Maharani Cluster University and Nrupatunga University in Bengaluru apart from Bidar University. However, sources in the committee confirmed that the final decision could not be taken owing to some technical reasons.

The Karnataka State Higher Education Council, which was formed to review the fund amount required for the first five years of running the new universities, had reported that ₹342 crore is required to cover the salaries of the teaching and the non-teaching staff, infrastructure, purchase of equipment, vehicles, furniture, and other items.

"A final decision has not been taken on the closure of some universities that were established. A clear decision on this will be announced after another meeting," said M.C. Sudhakar, Minister for Higher Education.

European Space Agency explores possibilities of sending astronaut to India's space station in future

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

The European Space Agency (ESA) is looking at future possibilities of sending an astronaut to India's planned space station, the Bharatiya Antariksh Station (BAS).

"Future cooperation possibilities include ESA astronaut flight opportunities to the planned BAS and early scientific utilisation as well as developing infrastructure in low earth orbit," ESA said.

By 2035

India plans to set up BAS by 2035. Recently, ESA and the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) signed a joint statement of intent on cooperation for human space exploration focusing on low earth orbit, and in a secondary stage on the moon.

"ESA and ISRO declared their intent to work together on the interoperability of rendezvous and docking systems to allow their respective spacecraft to work together in low earth orbit. They will also examine further activities related to astronaut training, analogue space missions – where teams test aspects of space missions in ground-based simulations – and parabolic flight activities," it said.

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It further said that the joint statement will open the door for joint research and utilisation activities for the future in low earth orbit through the use of common standards. This could include joint research through existing projects or European space research being carried out on the Indian POEM platforms, which use the spent upper stage of a polar satellite launch vehicle as a temporary orbital platform.

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"Such activities would be governed by specific agreements to be established," the agency said.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYAT RAJ DEPARTMENT
FORM OF CONTRACT: ITEM RATE (Two Cover System)

For and on behalf of the Governor of Tamil Nadu, the Joint Director / Project Director, DRDA, Krishnagiri District invites e-bids for the **Procurement of Steel Rods for all Housing Scheme in Krishnagir District** as detailed below.

1. For details, visit **www.tntenders.gov.in**
2. The package wise bid documents can also be downloaded on free of cost from **www.tntenders.gov.in from 10.05.2025 to 26.05.2025.**
3. Amount of EMD will be 1% of the estimated value of each package.
4. Any additional / further details and conditions related to these works can be had from the office of the **Joint Director / Project Director, DRDA, Krishnagiri District.**
5. **Important dates on Tender**

1	Pre-Bid Meeting Conducted Date & Time	**22.05.2025 at 11.00 A.M.**
2	Last Date and time for downloading of Bid Documents	**26.05.2025 at 3.00 P.M.**
3	Last Date and time for online submission of Bid Documents	**26.05.2025 at 3.00 P.M.**
4	Date and Time of online opening of Bid Documents	**26.05.2025 at 4.00 P.M.**

JOINT DIRECTOR / PROJECT DIRECTOR, DRDA, KRISHNAGIRI.
DIPR/2052/TENDER/2025

Er. Arabinda Tripathy
Chief General Manager (P&C)
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File No. HO/P&C/EST/E-2903/01/2025/ 13109 Date: 05.05.25

BID IDENTIFICATION NO- P&C / EST/E -11/ 2025-26
NOTICE INVITING REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL THROUGH E-PROCUREMENT PORTAL OF GOVT. OF ODISHA

Odisha Industrial Infrastructure Development Corporation (IDCO) invites technical and financial proposals from reputed Facility Management Services/ Operation & Maintenance agencies having experience in comprehensive facility and mess management/ operation & maintenance for "**Selection of Agency for Providing Comprehensive Facility and Mess Management Services for Workers' Hostels at various locations under IDCO**". The detailed Request for Proposal (RFP) document can be downloaded from e-procurement portal of Govt. of Odisha from **5 PM** of dt. **13/05/2025** to **5 PM** of **dt.31/05/2025.** A pre bid meeting shall be held on **dt 20/05/2025** at **11:30AM** in **Board Room, IDCO Tower, Janpath, Bhubaneswar.** Interested applicants are requested to send their queries by **dt.19/05/2025** by **4 PM** in the email id (**cgmpc@idco.in/ pmu@idco.in**). The last date of receipt of technical bids through e-procurement portal of Govt. of Odisha is **dt.31/05/2025** till **5 PM.**

The cost of bid document is **Rs. 11,800/- and EMD amount is Rs.10,00,000.00**. The technical bids will be opened online on **dt.02/06/2025** at **11.30 AM**. IDCO has the right to accept or reject the Notice / RFP without assigning any reasons thereof.

Sd/- Chief General Manager(P&C)
CAD-342 OIPR-14003/11/0150/2526

Email ID: serw sundargarh@gmail.com
GOVT. OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER
RURAL WORKS CIRCLE, SUNDARGARH
Bid Identification No. Online-PMGSY/RWCCESNG-03 of 2025-26
Letter No. 1207 // Date: 07.05.2025

1. Name of the work :- **Repair and Maintenance of Rural roads under PMGSY roads**
2. Total No. of Packages :- **05 Nos.**
3. Estimated Cost of individual packages :- **Rs.87.49 lakh to 350.49 lakh**
4. Period of completion :- **05 (Five) years**
5. Other details :-

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	No. of Packages	Availability of tender On-line for bidding From	Availability of tender On-line for bidding To	Date & Time of Technical Bid opening	Date & Time of Financial Bid opening
1	2	3	4	5		6
Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Sundargarh	PMGSY/ RWCCESNG-03 of 2025-26	05 Nos.	15.05.2025 at 11.00 A.M.	26.05.2025 upto 5.00 P.M.	28.05.2025 at 11.00 A.M.	Will be intimated separately

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	Advt. No. 04/2025-26 Recruitment for Non-Teaching PwD Positions		
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No: EE/RI/EAST/TEND/04/2025-26 Date: 09-05-2025

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Sl. No.	Name of the Work
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Calendar of Events: **1)** Tender Documents may be downloaded from the GOK Karnataka Public Procurement Portal Website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in from 12-05-2025, 17.30 Hours onwards. 2)** Pre Bid Meeting will be held on **23-05-2025 at 16.00 Hours. 3)** Last Date and Time for Receipt of Tenders: **05-06-2025 upto 16.00 Hours. 4)** Date and Time of Opening of Technical Bid: **06-06-2025 at 16.30 Hours. 5)** Date and Time of Opening of Financial Bid: **Will be intimated after obtaining Approval for Technical Evaluation.** Further details can be had from the above office

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INVITATION FOR BIDS
BID IDENTIFICATION NO. P&C/EST/E-45/2024-25

The Chief General Manager (P&C), IDCO, IDCO Towers Janpath, Bhubaneswar invites item rate based bids in double cover system in online mode only for the following works.

Table 1 Works Description

Package No.	Name of Work	Value of work (in Lakhs)	Bid Security / EMD (Rs.)	Cost of document (Rs.)	Period of Completion	Divisional Head	Class of Bidder
Package 1	Construction of 2x500KVA DSS for Workers' Hostel at Balasore.	Rs.111.98 Lakhs	Rs.1,11,990.00 (to be paid online)	Rs.11,800.00 (to be paid online)	4 (four) calendar months	Divisional Head, Electrical Divison 1, IDCO, Bhubaneswar	HT Electrical Contactors having valid License issued by ELBO with experience in similar nature of work.

Table 2 Time Schedule

Activity	Schedule for Package 1
1. Bid Documents such as DTCN / BOQ etc can be seen on **www.tenderodisha.gov.in**	From **17:00 Hours on 13.05.2025** to **17:00 Hours on 26.05.2025**
2. Bidders can upload their bids on eProcurement Portal **www.tenderodisha.gov.in**	From **09:00 Hours on 20.05.2025** to **17:00 Hours on 26.05.2025**
3. Technical Bids for the tender shall be opened on	**11:30 Hours on 28.05.2025**
4. The bidder must possess compatible Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) of Class-II or Class-III	
5. The authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids without assigning any reason thereof.	

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Tender Call Notice No File No.: IDCO/HO-P&C/O-4361/04/2024/V-1/ 13035 Dated: 05.05.2025
Bid Identification No.: P&C/EST/E-01/2025-26
NOTICE INVITING TENDER THROUGH e-Procurement

Name of the Work: Retrofitting of HVAC System, Operation and Comprehensive Annual Maintenance Contract for 5 years along with dismantling and buyback of existing system at Fortune Tower, Bhubaneswar.
Tender Value: Rs.6,63,87,341.00

Procurement Officer	Period of completion	Availability of Tender on-Line for Bidding From	Availability of Tender on-Line for Bidding To
1	2	3	4
Chief General Manager (P&C), IDCO, IDCO Tower, Bhubaneswar	10 (Ten Calendar Months)	17:00 Hours of dt: 13.05.2025	17:00 Hours of dt: 13.06.2025

Further details can be seen from the e-Procurement Portal **www.tendersodisha.gov.in** and Corrigendum if any will be published in newspapers and can only be seen in the e-procurement portal as well as in IDCO website. **Sd/- Chief General Manager(P&C), IDCO, Bhubaneswar**
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	Sheenappa S/o Thimmaiah, Nagappa S/o Eerakyathaiah, Venkatashami S/o Sannappa, Venkataraju S/o Govindappa, Nagappa S/o Muniraju, Gangappa S/o Muniyappa, Naveen Kumar R. S/o Rajanna, Sarkari Gomala, To Taluk Panchayat Doddaballapura for distribution under Ashraya Scheme, Rathnamma W/o Late Thimmaiah, Jayalakshmi W/o Late Nagappa, K.P. Sangeetha D/o K.R. Puttaswamigowda, Hanumakka W/o Late D. Thimmaiah, Muddappa S/o Eeranna, Bhagyamma W/o Late Srinivas, Lakshmamma W/o Late Nagaraju	Sheenappa S/o Thimmaiah, Nagappa S/o Eerakyathaiah, Venkatashami S/o Sannappa, Venkataraju S/o Govindappa, Nagappa S/o Muniraju, Gangappa S/o Muniyappa, Naveen Kumar R. S/o Rajanna, Sarkari Gomala, To Taluk Panchayat Doddaballapura for distribution under Ashraya Scheme, Rathnamma W/o Late Thimmaiah, Jayalakshmi W/o Late Nagappa, K.P. Sangeetha D/o K.R. Puttaswamigowda, Hanumakka W/o Late D. Thimmaiah, Muddappa S/o Eeranna, Bhagyamma W/o Late Srinivas, Lakshmamma W/o Late Nagaraju				
14	Muthanna S/o Doddaiah, Nagamma W/o Late Hanumathaiah, Rajanna S/o Chikkarangaiah, Rangaiah S/o Muthaiah	Muthanna S/o Doddaiah, Nagamma W/o Late Hanumathaiah, Rajanna S/o Chikkarangaiah, Rangaiah S/o Muthaiah	6/1	4-20	-	4-20
15	Sital Bhandari D/o Mahendra Bhandari	Sital Bhandari D/o Mahendra Bhandari	6/2	0-36	-	0-36
16	Eerakythaiah S/o Nagappa	Eerakythaiah S/o Nagappa	7/1	0-36	0-00.08	0-35.08
17	Thimmappa S/o Late Ranganna	Thimmappa S/o Late Ranganna	7/2	0-36	0-00.08	0-35.08
18	Moodlappa S/o Anjinappa	Moodlappa S/o Anjinappa	7/3	0-36	0-00.08	0-35.08
19	B.M. Manjunath S/o B.M. Marulaiah	B.M. Manjunath S/o B.M. Marulaiah	7/4	0-36	0-00.08	0-35.08
20	Nagamma W/o Late Hanumathaiah, Rangaiah S/o Kotappa, H. Moodlappa S/o Late Hanumantharayappa, Chikkarangaiah S/o Muniyappa, Muthaiah S/o Muniya, Muddaiah S/o Nagappa	Nagamma W/o Late Hanumathaiah, Rangaiah S/o Kotappa, H. Moodlappa S/o Late Hanumantharayappa, Chikkarangaiah S/o Muniyappa, Muthaiah S/o Muniya, Muddaiah S/o Nagappa	8/1	0-35	-	0-35
21	Sital Bhandari D/o Mahendra Bhandari	Sital Bhandari D/o Mahendra Bhandari	8/2	0-13	0-04	0-09
22	Anjinappa S/o Muthamma	Anjinappa S/o Muthamma	9/1	0-23.08	-	0-23.08
23	Sital Bhandari D/o Mahendra Bhandari	Sital Bhandari D/o Mahendra Bhandari	9/2	0-10.08	-	0-10.08
24	Hanumaiah S/o Kotappa, Chikkarangaiah S/o Kotappa, Rangaiah S/o Kotappa, Thimmakka W/o Ramakrsihnaiah	Hanumaiah S/o Kotappa, Chikkarangaiah S/o Kotappa, Rangaiah S/o Kotappa, Thimmakka W/o Ramakrsihnaiah	10	1-00	-	1-00
25	Eerakythaiah S/o Nagappa	Eerakythaiah S/o Nagappa	11/1	0-08	-	0-08
26	K.T. Krishnappa S/o Late Thimmahanumaiah	K.T. Krishnappa S/o Late Thimmahanumaiah	11/2	0-08	-	0-08
27	C. Mutharayappa S/o Channappa	C. Mutharayappa S/o Channappa	11/3	0-08	-	0-08
28	Moodlappa S/o Anjinappa	Moodlappa S/o Anjinappa	11/4	0-08	-	0-08
29	Kotaiah S/o Eeralingaiah, Thimmaiah S/o Rangaiah, Eeramma W/o Thoreyappa, Eeramma W/o Thoreyappa, Govindaiah S/o Hanumaiah	Kotaiah S/o Eeralingaiah, Thimmaiah S/o Rangaiah, Eeramma W/o Thoreyappa, Eeramma W/o Thoreyappa, Govindaiah S/o Hanumaiah	12	0-39	-	0-39
30	H. Govindaiah S/o Hanumaiah	H. Govindaiah S/o Hanumaiah	13/1	0-26.08	0-02	0-14 0-10.08
31	Puttaiah S/o Rangappa, Venkataiah S/o Rangappa, Thimmaiah S/o Marappa	Puttaiah S/o Rangappa, Venkataiah S/o Rangappa, Thimmaiah S/o Marappa	13/2	3-05.08	0-02	1-28 1-15.08
32	Kodaiah S/o Eeralingaiah, Thimmaiah S/o Rangappa, Eeramma W/o Koreyappa, Venkatanarasaiah S/o Rangappa, H. Govindaiah S/o Hanumaiah	Kodaiah S/o Eeralingaiah, Thimmaiah S/o Rangappa, Eeramma W/o Koreyappa, Venkatanarasaiah S/o Rangappa, H. Govindaiah S/o Hanumaiah	14	3-01	0-22	2-19
33	Eerakythaiah S/o Nagappa, Channappaiah S/o Nagappa, Anjanappa S/o Nagappa	Eerakythaiah S/o Nagappa, Channappaiah S/o Nagappa, Anjanappa S/o Nagappa	15/1	0-28	0-03	0-25
34	Puttanagamma W/o Subbaiah	Puttanagamma W/o Subbaiah	15/2	0-27	0-04	0-23
35	Puttanagamma W/o Subbaiah	Puttanagamma W/o Subbaiah	15/3	0-26	0-03	0-23
36	Muthanna S/o Doddaiah	Muthanna S/o Doddaiah	16/1	0-03.08	-	0-03.08
37	Sital Bhandari D/o Mahendra Bhandari	Sital Bhandari D/o Mahendra Bhandari	16/2	0-22.08	-	0-22.08
38	K.T. Krishnappa S/o Late Thimmahanumaiah	K.T. Krishnappa S/o Late Thimmahanumaiah	16/3	2-29	0-10	2-19
39	R. Ramakrishnaiah S/o K. Ramaiah	R. Ramakrishnaiah S/o K. Ramaiah	18	4-00	-	4-00
			Total	**185-33**	**148-29**	**37-04**

Abstract

Sl. No.	Village	Area Ainu A–G	Area Kharab A–G	Area Balance A–G
1	Hulikunte	557-34.08	240-11.12	317-22.12
2	Doddamankanala	269-02	108-39.08	160-02.08
3	Kadathippanahalli	185-33	148-29	37-04
	Total	**1012-29.08**	**498-00.04**	**514-29.04**

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Palanivel Thiaga Rajan
Hon'ble Minister, Information Technology and Digital Services, Tamil Nadu

P. Rajeeve
Hon'ble Minister, Law, Industries, and Coir, Kerala

Moderated by
Narayan Lakshman
Curator, The Hindu Huddle, and Opinion Editor, The Hindu

10:50 am - 11:35 am
Vox Populi: Language and Identity Wars Shaping Our Culture

A.R. Venkatachalapathy
Historian, Author and Professor Madras Institute of Development Studies Tamil Nadu

Laximikant Deshmukh
Chairperson, Language Consultation Committee, Maharashtra

Moderated by
Varghese K. George
Resident Editor, The Hindu

11:40 am - 12:30 pm
Beyond Love and Hate:
Kabir's Message of Non-Duality

Talk + Performance by
Vipul Rikhi

12:35 pm - 1:05 pm
Let's Get Gritty: Indigenous Cinema in a Mainstream Environment

Vetri Maaran
Director, Producer, Screenwriter

In conversation with
Baradwaj Rangan
Film Critic

1:10 pm - 2:15 pm
Lunch

2:20 pm - 3:05 pm
In the Hood: The New Forces Shaping Subcontinental Geopolitics

Ranil Wickremesinghe
Former President, Sri Lanka

T.S. Tirumurti
Former Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations, New York

Moderated by
Suhasini Haidar
Diplomatic Affairs Editor, The Hindu

3:10 pm - 3:40 pm
North and South:
Big Divide to Growing Chasm in Indian Cinema

Anurag Kashyap
Director, Producer, Actor

In conversation with
Baradwaj Rangan
Film Critic

3:45 pm - 4:30 pm
Let's Talk Work: Future of the Workplace

K. Ganesh
Serial Entrepreneur and Partner, GrowthStory

Hemant Malik
Wholetime Director, Divisional Chief Executive - Foods, ITC

Dr. Shravan Subramanyam
MD & Group CEO, BPL Medical Technologies

Suparna Mitra
Chief Executive Officer, Watches and Wearables Division, Titan

Moderated by
L.V. Navaneeth
CEO, The Hindu Group

4:35 pm - 5:20 pm
Non-Communicable Diseases:
Trojan Horse of India's Health

Dr. Anoop Misra
Chairman, Fortis C-Doc Hospital for Diabetes and Allied Sciences

Dr. Chandrakant Lahariya
Health and Social Sector Policy Adviser

Dr. Preetha Reddy
Executive Vice Chairperson, Apollo Hospitals

Moderated by
Ramya Kannan
Chief of Bureau, Tamil Nadu, The Hindu

5:25 pm - 6:10 pm
AI for All: Dream of a Democratised and Ethical Technology

Astha Kapoor
Co-founder, Aapti Institute

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Tiny humans, big decisions

Parents and designers share insights on how to plan a baby's nursery

COVER

Pooja Salvi

Wood flooring is a great choice, as it's softer and warmer than tile or stone. Adding a plush rug is essential, as both parents and kids spend a lot of time on the floor

SARAH SHAM
PARENT

The toddler room designed and styled by Sarah Sham; and (left) the wall art designed by Sahiba Madan.
SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT

When Abhishek Parmar brought his newborn home from the hospital, the baby was welcomed in a room meticulously designed by his parents. A small but warm space that sported a modern, minimalistic theme, and pastel walls.

What the now two-year-old didn't know is just how much work his parents put into creating the space. The Singapore-based couple went the do-it-yourself (DIY) way, which came with its fair share of challenges.

During the pandemic, a small room in their house became a home-office. This was then earmarked to be the nursery. Since it wasn't spacious, accommodating everything was not easy. "We had to keep the furniture and décor minimalistic. So, finding the right things that would meet our needs, both functional and aesthetic, was key. With plenty of options available, it took us a while to narrow things down and a couple of iterations to get it all right." Labour being expensive in Singapore, the 30-year-old parents "had to assemble pretty much everything ourselves – bed, changing station, shelves and storage, and artwork".

Keeping it simple

When celebrities announce the arrival of a baby, the news is often accompanied by details of a plush baby nursery – be it Ram Charan, Karan Johar, Allu Arjun, Soha Ali Khan, Lindsay Lohan, or Anushka Sharma, to name a few. While these glimpses serve as inspiration for some parents like Parmar, others prefer to keep it simple.

Some new parents focus time and energy on building a dedicated space for a baby's arrival, but just a few years ago, this was not the norm.

Amrita Bose is a parent to a 10-year-old. But a nursery was nowhere on her list of concerns. "We couldn't really afford one," she recalls. At the time, a 35-year-old Bose was living with her husband, then 39, in a 2-BHK. "Having a baby alone is so expensive. We set up a cot in our bedroom – baby used to co-sleep and we would play on the bed."

Unlike designers who tell you to accommodate the many initial life stages of a baby, Bose chose to make the best use of whatever was available. "When she grew up a bit, a mat on the floor of the living room was enough."

The media professional from Bengaluru is not the only one. Rohini Varma and her partner became parents at 25 and 28; and were more focused on their baby. "[A nursery] is not common in our circle. People [we know] don't think that having separate themes or furniture impacts a child's growth. We knew the child wasn't going to remain in a single room anyway," the Kerala native says, adding that their daughter used to sleep in their bed till she turned five.

Storage woes

Storage needs addressing even before a new member enters the house. Especially in cities such as Mumbai where space is always an issue. While parents often make do with resources they have at hand – like Varma, who says that the couple allocated a separate cupboard in the house to store their daughter's belongings – designers urge new parents to focus on accessibility and a storage investment that will grow along with the baby.

"As a parent, my primary focus was accessibility," says designer Sarah Sham, parent of a four-and-a-half-year-old. Having everything within easy reach was important. "Whether it was diapers, baby cream, or a comfortable spot to sit and feed my baby." Hence, investing in a sturdy chest of drawers is a top tip she offers. "It's an item you'll use for years to come. I'm still using the same one we bought when she was born," says the principal designer at Essajees Atelier and co-founder of Jea Interiors.

Storage and accessibility were top priorities for another Mumbai-based designer. Sahiba Madan, principal architect and founder at Insitu by Kalakaarihaath, designed a nursery for her firstborn herself. "Babies' requirements evolve so quickly that one can never really keep up. I wanted to develop more storage solutions that worked in the long term."

Functionality trumps aesthetics

This was a concern for Parmar, too. "It's very likely that the room will require re-designing and upgrades as he outgrows some of the stuff." In the last two years, they have already had to make changes to the nursery – a bigger bed, swapping the changing table for toys, books and running around.

Dual purpose furniture come in handy here – like Sham's recommendation of cribs that can be converted into beds as the baby grows. "Another product we've continued to use is a sofa bed with built-in storage that was originally in the nursery when our baby was small. It has since become a regular sofa in my child's room," she says.

Creating a safety net

Sham wouldn't compromise on safety when building the nursery. "I wanted to ensure that the items my baby might need were accessible, but more importantly I wanted to keep potentially harmful objects out of reach. Especially avoiding sharp edges."

Babyproofing can be done in the simplest of ways. "Wood flooring is a great choice for nurseries, as it's softer and warmer than tile or stone. Adding a plush rug on top is essential, as both parents and kids spend a lot of time on the floor. A quality rug adds comfort and warmth to the space."

Building a nursery is a fun activity for new parents – balancing functionality with aesthetics to create a space that is filled with love and care, regardless of fancy furniture and plush décor.

Since babies spend so much time on their backs, adding a design element on the ceiling could make for a fun addition.

The writer is a features journalist exploring culture, people, and urban life across Bengaluru and Mumbai.

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CREDAI BENGALURU

Tiranga Yatra taken out in support of armed forces

Cong. leaders and people from various sections of society take part in it

In solidarity: Participants in the Tiranga Yatra organised by the Congress in Bengaluru on Friday.
SUDHAKARA JAIN

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

Amid the escalation of tensions between India and Pakistan after the killing of 26 tourists at Pahalgam in Jammu and Kashmir, the Karnataka Congress on Friday took out a Tiranga Yatra from K.R. Circle to Minsk Square here and extended support to the Indian armed forces.

A large number of party leaders and workers marched with the national flag, expressing solidarity with the security forces and sending out a message of unity during the ongoing conflict with Pakistan.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, Deputy Chief Minister and KPCC president D.K. Shivakumar, and State Cabinet Ministers led the rally.

Speaking at the rally, Mr. Shivakumar said, "We have invited all sections of society... We want to salute our armed forces and stand in solidarity with the country... I am pleased that within a short period, a large number of people, including retired armed forces personnel and students participated." He said, "It is the duty of every citizen to support Operation Sindoor being carried out by the Indian armed force in retaliation for the Pahalgam terrorist attack."

Home Minister G. Parameshwara said, "We would like to send out a message saying that we are all with you (Indian armed forces). Whatever action you have taken, it is appreciated. This rally has been organised to say that symbolically..."

Moral support

Law and Parliamentary Affairs Minister H.K. Patil said, "The Tiranga Yatra conveys our moral support and appreciation for our armed forces. They have succeeded and shown the world that India is the strongest and the most intelligent force in the world".

The yatra saw participation from across sections of society, including students, aand leaders from various political parties.

COMEDK UGET put off in select city centres

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

The undergraduate entrance test (UGET) for admissions to engineering courses in private colleges, conducted by the Consortium of Medical Engineering and Dental Colleges of Karnataka (COMEDK), scheduled for Saturday, has been postponed in select cities.

In a statement on Friday, the consortium said: "We wish to inform all the candidates scheduled to appear for the COMEDK UGET 2025 and UniGAUGE E 2025 on May 10, 2025, that the exam has been postponed in select cities in accordance with directives issued by the Government of India under Operation Sindoor."

The centres affected are Gujarat: Jamnagar (Test City Code: 26428); Haryana: Ambala (8683); Jammu and Kashmir: Srinagar (14126) and Jammu (7994); Punjab: Ludhiana (14458), Bathinda (1686), Jalandhar (2288), Mohali (38190), Patiala (8756), and Amritsar (8799), and Rajasthan: Jodhpur (16596), Bikaner (8665), and Sriganganagar (28906).

COMEDK has advised the candidates assigned to write the test at the cities where it has been postponed not to panic. "The examination in those locations only is postponed and a revised date will be announced shortly," it said.

All candidates are requested to regularly check the official website, www.comedk.org and www.unigauge.com, for further updates and instructions, the release said, adding that the examination will proceed as scheduled for all other candidates in other cities on Saturday at the time slots/session mentioned in the test admission tickets.

For queries, candidates may reach out to the COMEDK helpdesk on Ph.: 080-46671060 or studenthelpdesk@comedk.org

Tourists from Karnataka struggling to return from North Indian destinations

Jahnavi T.R.
BENGALURU

Amid the ongoing tension in the aftermath of the Pahalgam terrorist attack, travellers from Karnataka who were stuck in northern parts of the country are struggling to return and are taking multiple modes of transport to make it home.

A group of 15 people from Bengaluru had gone to Leh, Ladakh, a few days ago and decided to cut short their trip and return after the developments in the last two days. "They had booked a package, and their tour was cut short by two or three days due to disruptions in flight schedules. Some of them travelled to Delhi by road and are then waiting for a flight. Some who had travelled to Srinagar were supposed to go to Amritsar on Friday, but then cancelled it and travelled to Manali by road and are looking for flights or trains to get back," said an employee of Bangalore Classic Tours and Travels in Basavanagudi.

A file photo of Baisaran meadow at Pahalgam in Jammu and Kashmir where a terrorist attack on tourists took place on April 22.

Those who have not left on their tours yet are changing their travel destinations from ones in the northern part of the country to locations in Kerala and Karnataka.

'South India preferred'

"For now, people are fine with travelling in South India. At least three of our groups that were supposed to go to Kashmir cancelled it and decided to go to destinations such as Wayanad, Kodagu, Ooty, and Mysuru," said an employee of Shree Tours and Travels at Mahalakshmi Layout here.

Tour operators said that the most popular North Indian destination during the summer season is Kashmir, and places such as Rajasthan and Gujarat are not the preferred choice due to the heat conditions. "Maybe one or two of them had planned to go to Rajashtan, but otherwise all the bookings were to Srinagar, Leh, and Ladakh," an operator said.

They said that while domestic travel patterns have changed slightly, there has not been much change in international plans as tourists continue to fly out.

'Exercise caution'

Some travel agencies are asking their customers to exercise caution while choosing their international travel destinations. For instance, EaseMyTrip recommended that their customers visit destinations such as Turkiye and Azerbaijan only if necessary. "In the light of the recent escalation in tensions between India and Pakistan, we are fully aligned with government advisories and are closely monitoring the evolving situation. Traveller sentiment remains cautious, with increased concerns around safety and uncertainty. Several airlines have reduced or suspended operations, leading to a sharp rise in cancellations and rescheduling across travel services," Rikant Pittie, CEO and co-founder, EaseMyTrip.

'Arrive 3 hours prior to flight departure'

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

Bangalore International Airport Ltd. (BIAL), the operator of Kempegowda International Airport (KIA), has issued an advisory to passengers to arrive three hours prior to their departure time.

"In view of the nationwide heightened security alert, enhanced screening measures are in place across all airports. Passengers are advised to arrive at least three hours prior to departure to allow for a smooth check-in, security, and boarding experience. Please check with your airline for updated information," stated the advisory issued on Friday.

Many airlines have also asked passengers to report early. Due to the airspace closure in north India, several flights have been cancelled to and from KIA since May 7. Most of these flights are to destinations in north India and border States.

'Will take action against fake news peddlers'

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

Taking strong exception against fake news peddlers and those spreading rumours about the ongoing Operation Sindoor and related developments, Bengaluru Police Commissioner B. Dayananda has warned of strict action against such people.

Speaking to the media after the monthly service parade at CAR south on Friday, Mr. Dayananda said he had instructed the divisional heads and the staff to be alert and monitor social media to contain rumour mongering. Due to such rumours, people have resorted to hoarding essentials, he said.

He said that people should restrain from believing rumours and fake news being circulated on social media.

KPCL amps up security at reservoirs, power plants

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

The Karnataka government has stepped up security at reservoirs and power stations under the jurisdiction of Karnataka Power Corporation Ltd. (KPCL) amid heightened tensions along the India-Pakistan border.

The KPCL issued a directive with an emphasis on the critical importance of securing sensitive installations under its jurisdiction.

The order mandates that comprehensive security be implemented at all reservoirs and power stations, with additional personnel deployed in coordination with the State Police Department.

With the KPCL operating many power generation facilities utilising hydro, thermal, wind, solar, gas, and waste-to-energy sources and with several reservoirs being developed to support hydroelectric power production, the directive instructs that all these power plants and reservoirs should be provided with robust and adequate security.

OBITUARY & REMEMBRANCE

DEATH

With deep sorrow, we inform the sad demise of our beloved father
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OBITUARY

M.C Krishnaswamy
(01.07.1937 – 09.05.2025)

With heavy hearts we announce the passing of Sri. M.C.Krishnaswamy at his residence on May 9, 2025.

The cremation will take place on Saturday, 10th May 2025 at 11.00 am at the Kalpalli Crematorium, Bangalore.

He is survived by his wife Mrs. Banu Krishnaswamy, his daughter Ms. Indu Krishnaswamy, his two sons Balaji and Sudhir Krishnaswamy and their respective spouses Rachana Balaji and Jayna Kothari and their families.

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SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through KPPP only)

No: KWB/TEC/CE(B)/Chintamani DC Works/180/2025-26
Dated: 09.05.2025

Name of the Work: Tender for the work of Replacement of existing UGD network along with House Service Connections at Tippu Nagar in Chintamani City under D C works of CMC, Chintamani.

Indent No.: KUWSDB/2025-26/WORK_INDENT/337/CALL-2

For further details may be obtained through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

DIPR/CP/593/CCL/2025-26

Sd/- CHIEF ENGINEER (B), KUWS & D BOARD, Bengaluru

INTERNATIONAL FLOWER AUCTION BANGALORE LIMITED
24, Bellary Road, Hebbal, Bengaluru-560024,
Phone: 8431235867/8431235858
E-Mail:- ifablimited@gmail.com, Website :-www.ifabindia.org

No.IFAB/2025-26/SE0024/CALL-1 **DATE: 07.05.2025**

TENDER for Project coordinating consultancy (PCC) services for successful implementation and monitoring of Strengthening of International Flower Auction Bangalore (IFAB) under RIDF programme

Tender is invited through karnataka E-Procurement portal **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in,** for hiring Project coordinating consultancy (PCC) services for successful implementation and monitoring of project titled "Strengthening of International Flower Auction Bangalore (IFAB)" under RIDF programme by IFAB Ltd., from the interested company/agency. The documents are available in the Karnataka e-Procurement Portal only from **07.05.2025** and last date for bid submission is on **21.05.2025 till 5.00PM.**

DIPR/CP/589/SSC/2025-26

Sd/- Managing Director

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE IX ADDL. CITY CIVIL JUDGE AT BENGALURU
P & SC No. 194/2025 (CCH-5)

BETWEEN: Sri. G.R. Chethan,
Aged about 44 years, Son of late G. N. Rajagopal, #117A, KHB colony, Opp Acts School, Koramangala VI Block, Bangalore - 560095, Bangalore South Taluk, **...Petitioner**
AND : -Nil- .....Respondent

UNDER ORDER V RULE 20 READ WITH SECTION 151 OF THE CIVIL PROCEDURE CODE.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the above named person has filed a petition before the Hon'ble IX ADDL City Civil Judge (CCH-5) at Bengaluru, under section 372 of Indian Succession Act, 1925 for grant of Succession Certificate in favour of the Petitioner with respect to the scheduled asset mentioned hereunder. The schedule asset was held by late **Smt. Meerya Arya mother of petitioner who expired on 30.07.2020** leaving the Petitioner as her only legal heir.

Interested parties are hereby called upon to appear before the Court either in person or through a pleader duly instructed **on 03-07-2025 at 11 am** to show cause against the Petitioner. Failing which the above petition will be heard in your absence by considering the Respondents as Nil.

SCHEDULE ASSET

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Given under my-hand and seal of the court on this **08th Day of May -2025.**

By order of the Hon'ble Court, Sr. Sheristedar City Civil Court, Bengaluru

Advocate for the Petitioner

CENTRE FOR e-GOVERNANCE
(Society established by Government of Karnataka under e-Governance Secretariat, DPAR and registered under Karnataka Societies Registration Act, 1960)
Room No.146, First Floor, 2nd Gate, M.S. Building, Bengaluru - 560 001.

No: DPAR-CEG0ADM/51/2023-CEG-ADMN(E:1215751) **Date: 09.05.2025**

NOTIFICATION

The Centre for e-Governance is a Society established by the Government of Karnataka under DPAR (E-Governance) and registered under Karnataka Societies Registration Act 1960. The organization proposes to fill up the Post of Project Director, Karnataka State Wide Area Network (PD, KSWAN) on deputation basis from amongst citizens of India having relevant experience in the field of Telecommunication Services/ Networking/Internet Services/IT. For the details such as qualification and experience etc., the candidates may refer the website: **https://ceg.karnataka.gov.in**. Last date of submission of the application is 7 days from the date of this advertisement.

DIPR/CP/572/MAA/2025-26

Sd/- Administrative Officer Centre for e- Governance

CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL HOSAPETE
No: CMC/ HPT/MRF/machineries/2024-25 **Dated: 06.05.2025**

TENDER NOTIFICATION (IFT) E-PROCUREMENT

15th Finance, MPC and Non million plus tenders are invited for the work mentioned below as per KTPP act 2000 in two cover system are invited from the Class-1 Contractors/ Firms registered in KPWD as mentioned below in e-procurement the contractors / firms will have to upload all information, documents and rates etc., www.eproc.karnataka.govt.in 1) Tender Last **Date: 14.05.2025. TIME: 1.00 PM.** 2) Opening for Technical Bid will be on **Date: 15.05.2025. TIME: 1.00 PM.** 3) Financial Bid open **date:16.05.2025 TIME: 1.30 PM** 3) **OPENING PLACE OF TENDER: CMC HOSAPETE,** any other information required can be obtained from the office of the CMC Hosapete during the working hours.

SI. NO	INDENT NUMBER	Estimate cost	EMD
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Sd/- Assistant Executive Environmental Engineer CMC Hosapete

Sd/-Commissioner CMC Hosapete

DIPR/Vijayanagar/20245-26/KSMCA/RO No/55

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SEARCH COMMITTEE NOTIFICATION

APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHANCELLOR

The Government of Tamil Nadu vide G.O. (D) No. 271, Higher Education (H2) Department, dated 09.12.2024 and as amended vide G.O. (D) No. 87, Higher Education (H2) Department, dated 25.04.2025 have constituted a Search Committee to recommend a panel of three names to the Government for appointment of the Vice-Chancellor, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli.

The Search Committee invites applications for the post of Vice-Chancellor, Bharathidasan University, from distinguished academicians with highest level of competence, integrity, moral and institutional commitment and possessing the educational qualifications and work experience as notified in 'The Bharathidasan University Act,1981' (Tamil Nadu Act 2 of 1982) and vide G.O. (Ms) No. 187, Higher Education (K2) Department, dated 14.07.2017, copy of which is available in the Bharathidasan University Website **https://www.bdu.ac.in**

Interested candidates possessing the required qualifications and work experience may download the prescribed application format from the website of Bharathidasan University. The filled in application shall be sent (in the prescribed format) only via e-mail in PDF format along with one hard copy by Registered post duly superscribing the envelope with **"Application for the post of the Vice- Chancellor, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli"** so as to reach the Nodal Officer at the address given below on or before 05.00 p.m. on 9th June 2025.

Dr. G. Rathinasabapathy
Nodal Officer of Bharathidasan University Search Committee,
University Librarian, Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University,
Madharavam Milk Colony, Chennai–600 051.
e-mail: nodalofficer.bharathidasanuniv@gmail.com

Applications received after publication of the notification in the website of Bharathidasan University / newspaper alone will be considered. Applications in full or any additional information received after the closing time and date will not be entertained under any circumstances.

DIPR/471/Display/2025

REGISTRAR i/c

INBRIEF

Kerala SSLC exam results out; 99.5% students pass

Students registered a pass percentage of 99.5 in the Secondary School Leaving Certificate examinations in Kerala this year, a fall of 0.19% from 99.69% last year. Significantly, the number of students who secured A+ in all subjects fell by 10,382 from 71,831 last year to 61,449 this year. Responding to the decline, Minister for General Education V. Sivankutty said, "We want quality results. There is no point in 100% results if these are not of a good standard."

Army jawan from A.P. killed in cross-border firing along LoC

An Indian Army jawan, identified as Murali Naik, 24, from Kalli Thanda hamlet of Puttagundlapalle village in Sri Sathya Sai district of Andhra Pradesh, was martyred during cross-border firing by Pakistani forces along the Line of Control (LoC) on Thursday night. He was posted along the LoC in Jammu and Kashmir when the Pakistani Army resorted to ceasefire violations, launching heavy artillery and mortar attacks, post India's Operation Sindoor.

Two from West Bengal held for ₹54 lakh online fraud

West Godavari Superintendent of Police Adnan Nayeem Asmi stated that two persons from West Bengal have been arrested in connection with a ₹54 lakh online fraud case. In October 2024, the accused had made the victim pay ₹54 lakh through a fake application, after making him believe that it was an official investment in the share market. The accused trapped the victim while the latter was searching online for opportunities to invest in the stock market.

Malappuram in Kerala on high alert after Nipah case

Nine wards in the district declared containment zones; people warned against gathering; masks made must; Health Minister Veena chairs high-level core committee meeting to review situation

The Hindu Bureau
MALAPPURAM

Nine wards in four local bodies in Malappuram district of Kerala have been declared containment zones in the wake of a woman contracting Nipah virus.

People have been proscribed from gathering in these wards. Shops and business establishments will be allowed to work from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Madrasas and anganwadis will remain closed. Medical shops have been exempted from the restrictions.

The State government said on Friday that all six people who showed symptoms after coming into contact with the Nipah virus patient have tested negative. However, the condition of the original patient remains serious.

Virus watch: Authorities have advised people in Malappuram to wear masks when they are out of their homes. SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT

Review meeting held

According to an official release, a total of 49 people who had contact with the infected patient remain under observation. Health Minister Veena George said that strict preventive measures will continue to ensure public safety.

She chaired a high-level core committee meeting at the Malappuram District Collectorate to review the ongoing response.

District Collector V.R. Vinod advised people to wear masks and to avoid crowding. Students and teachers have been asked to wear masks in tuition centres.

District Medical Officer R. Renuka advised people to approach a registered medical practitioner when they develop signs of fever and other symptoms. "Never eat fruits bitten by birds, bats or any other animals," said Dr. Renuka. "Avoid visiting patients now," she added.

Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan's district-level event scheduled to be held in Malappuram on May 12 has been postponed, authorities said on Friday.

(With inputs from PTI)

38 Maoists surrender to Telangana Police

The Hindu Bureau
BHADRADRI KOTHAGUDEM

As security forces intensified the anti-Maoist 'Operation Kagar' in neighbouring Chhattisgarh's south Bastar region, as many as 38 militia and front organisation members of the outlawed CPI (Maoist) surrendered before the police in Telangana's Kothagudem town on Friday.

They hail from Ampuram, Gomuguda and Rasapalli villages in Bijapur district of Chhattisgarh.

Those who surrendered include two CPI (Maoist) members, 16 militia members, seven Village Committee Members (VCMs), six Krantikari Adivasi Mahila Sanghatan (KAMS) members, three Chetana Natya Mandali (CNM) members and four Grama Rakshaka Dalams (GRDs) members.

17-year-old boy dies of rabies in Kerala

The Hindu Bureau
ALAPPUZHA

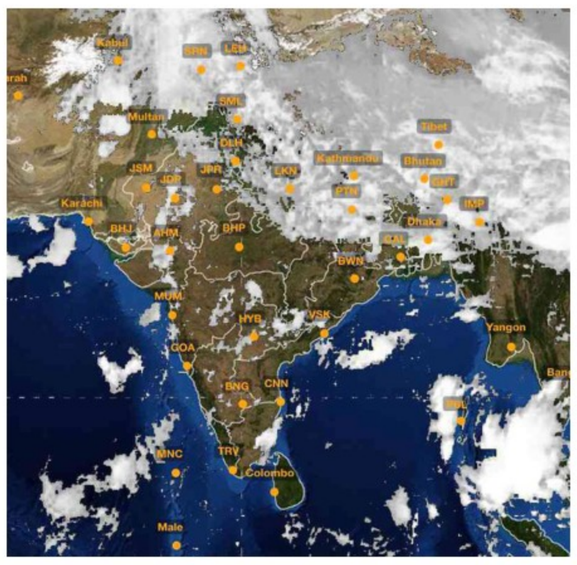
A 17-year-old boy from Karumadi in Thakazhi grama panchayat in Alappuzha district died of rabies on Friday.

The deceased, identified as Sooraj, was undergoing treatment at the Government Medical College Hospital (MCH) in Alappuzha.

The boy, who frequently interacted with pets, reportedly sustained a scratch on his neck from a pet dog's nails while at a relative's home on April 20. After developing fever, he was first taken to a private clinic on May 6 and then to the MCH, where doctors confirmed a rabies infection. Though he was administered the first dose of the vaccine on May 7, his condition worsened and died on Friday morning.

WEATHERWATCH

Rainfall, temperature & air quality in select metros yesterday



TEMPERATURE DATA: IMD, POLLUTION DATA: CPCB, MAP: INSAT/IMD (TAKEN AT 18.00 HRS)

Forecast for Saturday: Heavy rainfall likely at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh. Thunderstorm with lightning/gusty winds likely at isolated places over Gujarat, Rajasthan, Jammu & Kashmir, Uttarakhand, Assam, Manipur, Sikkim, West Bengal, Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra and Karnataka

CITY	RAIN	MAX	MIN	CITY	RAIN	MAX	MIN
Agartala	—	37.4	26.0	Kozhikode	—	36.4	26.4
Ahmedabad	8	34.5	22.3	Kurnool	—	40.1	27.2
Aizawl	—	33.8	20.4	Lucknow	—	39.4	24.4
Allahabad	—	42.0	27.0	Madurai	—	40.6	26.2
Bengaluru	—	32.6	22.5	Mangaluru	—	33.6	24.4
Bhopal	—	34.2	24.0	Mumbai	—	33.3	23.5
Bhubaneswar	—	39.2	26.4	Mysuru	—	34.0	21.0
Chandigarh	—	37.9	24.3	New Delhi	—	36.7	25.7
Chennai	—	35.9	27.6	Patna	—	39.1	27.6
Coimbatore	—	36.4	23.8	Port Blair	49	32.0	24.1
Dehradun	25	34.9	20.3	Puducherry	—	35.0	26.6
Gangtok	3	24.2	15.3	Pune	—	36.4	23.9
Goa	—	36.0	28.0	Raipur	—	38.9	25.5
Guwahati	25	34.5	23.4	Ranchi	—	36.3	24.4
Hubballi	—	37.0	22.0	Shillong	—	25.3	17.5
Hyderabad	—	38.2	24.2	Shimla	3.8	26.8	17.5
Imphal	—	30.5	22.6	Srinagar	—	21.2	14.4
Jaipur	—	35.1	22.8	Thiruvananthapuram	—	35.5	25.6
Kochi	—	32.6	26.4	Tiruchi	0.8	38.5	26.4
Kohima	—	21.5	17.4	Vijayawada	0.4	38.3	26.4
Kolkata	—	39.4	29.0	Visakhapatnam	—	36.2	28.4

(Rainfall data in mm; temperature in Celsius)

Pollutants in the air you are breathing

CITIES	SO_2	NO_2	CO	PM2.5	PM10	CODE
Ahmedabad	7	77	7	78	75	
Bengaluru	7	3	16	45	125	
Chennai	5	12	36	62	109	
Delhi	20	104	61	169	208	
Hyderabad	8	85	32	76	74	
Kolkata	6	28	26	92	92	
Lucknow	—	38	58	—	226	
Mumbai	10	34	87	20	29	
Pune	—	29	44	44	49	
Visakhapatnam	8	46	29	64	94	

Yesterday

In observation made at 4.00 p.m., Bikaner, Rajasthan recorded an overall air quality index (AQI) score of 251 indicating an unhealthy level of pollution. In contrast, Damoh, Madhya Pradesh recorded a healthy AQI score of 23

Air Quality Code: Poor Moderate Good (Readings indicate average AQI)

SO_2: Sulphur Dioxide. Short-term exposure can harm the respiratory system, making breathing difficult. It can affect visibility by reacting with other air particles to form haze and stain culturally important objects such as statues and monuments.

NO_2: Nitrogen Dioxide. Aggravates respiratory illness, causes haze to form by reacting with other air particles, causes acid rain, pollutes coastal waters.

CO: Carbon monoxide. High concentration in air reduces oxygen supply to critical organs like the heart and brain. At very high levels, it can cause dizziness, confusion, unconsciousness and even death.

PM2.5 & PM10: Particulate matter pollution can cause irritation of the eyes, nose and throat, coughing, chest tightness and shortness of breath, reduced lung function, irregular heartbeat, asthma attacks, heart attacks and premature death in people with heart or lung disease

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED
CIN: U85110KA1970SGC001919

TENDER NOTIFICATION / BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Two Cover System) (Through E-Procurement only)

KPCL invites tenders through GoK E-Procurement Platform **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** for the following works:

RAICHUR THERMAL POWER STATION

KPCL/2025-26/PS/WORK_INDENT2845 **Date: 03.05.2025**
Collection, Preparation, Transportation and Testing of Feeder coal, Mill Reject Coal, Bottom Ash and Fly Ash, PC sample, rake coal samples from Conveyor belts of CHP-1 and CHP-2, Stockyard and special coal samples, Loading and Unloading end rake sample analysis at RTPS for a period of one year. Last date for submission of tenders is on or before **31.05.2025**, **up to 17.30 Hrs.** Further details can be had from **Assistant General Manager(C) Fuel Management,** RTPS, KPCL, Shaktinagar-584170. Raichur Dist. Mobile: 94482 90744/94495 98883.

BELLARY THERMAL POWER STATION

KPCL/2025-26/PS/WORK_INDENT2813 **Date: 02.05.2025**
Providing, fabrication, erection of Collector Tank of C & D stream insulated at FAE Tower 02 and allied works of Unit-3 Ash Handling System at BTPS. Total tender amount Excluding taxes & Duties: **Rs.20.41 Lakhs.** Last date for receipt of tender: **13.05.2025 up to 17.00 Hrs.** Further details can be had from the **Executive Engineer (AHP-2),** Mobile: +91 9141609479.

KPCL/2025-26/PS/WORK_INDENT2841 **Date: 05.05.2025**
Collection of Coal sample, sample preparation, analysis of station coal, stacked coal, mill reject, bottom ash, fly ash and Oil etc., analysis of rake coal, Loading and Unloading end, preparation of FMS reports, NABL Documentation, up keeping of coal instruments etc. for Unit - 1, 2 & 3 at BTPS. **EMD: Rs. 2.00 Lakhs.** Last date for receipt of tender: **20.05.2025, 17.00 Hrs.** Further details can be had from the **Assistant General Manager (Chemical) Fuel Management,** BTPS, KPCL, Kudathini-583152. Ballari Dist. Mob: 9448282647.

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
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ಸಂ.ರಾಮಪ/ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ/ಕಾ/ಮನಪಾ.ನಿಧಿ/07,08,09,10,11/2025–26 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 08–05–2025.

ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ (ಕೆ.ಪಿ.ಪಿ.ಪಿ 2.0 ಪದ್ಧತಿ ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ).

ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ, ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಅನುದಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ತೋರಿಸಿದ ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂಬರ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಕೆ.ಪಿ.ಪಿ.ಪಿ 2.0 ಪದ್ಧತಿ ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯನ್ನು ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಲು ಇಚ್ಚಿಸುವ ಅರ್ಹ ಸರಬರಾಜುದಾರರು / ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು WWW.KPPP.Karnataka.gov.in ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು, ಹಾಗೂ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವಳಿಗಾಗಿ ನಗರಸಭೆಯ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ WWW.raichurcity.mrc.gov.in ರಲ್ಲಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯ ಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.

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1	ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ನಿಧಿ ಅನುದಾನದಲ್ಲಿ	Purchasing vehicle for Deputy Commissioner Development Deputy Commissioner Revenue, Zonal Commissioner and Exective Engineer in Raichur City Limits **Estimate Cost Rs. 46,50,000/-**	DMA/2025-26/ IND 4767
2		Providding of GPS System for Swm Vehicles For Raichur City Corporation Office In Raichur City. **Estimate Cost Rs. 68,55,000/-**	DMA/2025-26/SE5316
3		Estimate for ABC Vaccination Programmes as per standard protocol in Raichur City **Estimate Cost Rs. 24,75,000/-**	DMA/2025-26/SE5297
4		Cleaning of OHT and Sump in Various Wards No 01 to 35 in Raichur City **Estimate Cost Rs. 43,07,000/-**	DMA/2025-26/ SE5313
5		Cleaning of GLSR and Clarifier in Various Wards From Ward No 01 to 35 In Raichur City Corporation Limits. **Estimate Cost Rs. 28,98,000/-**	DMA/2025-26/ SE5312

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ಸಹಿ/– ಆಯುಕ್ತರು
ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ, ರಾಯಚೂರು

Office of the Executive Officer,
Taluk Panchayat, Thirthahalli 577432
No.:TPT/Staff/ViVa-2/2025-26 Date:07-05-2025

-: Final Notice :-

Shri Shivakumar. V., Secretary, Grade-2, Arehalli Gram Panchayat, your unauthorized absence from duty and the Inquiry Officer has conducted a departmental inquiry into your unauthorized absence and has reported that the allegation has been proven. Under Rule 28(a) of the Karnataka Civil Services Rules, 1957 (Classification, Control and Appeal), appropriate disciplinary action was taken and you were given time to file an appeal /complaint. You have not yet filed your complaint before the disciplinary authorities. Therefore, you are hereby given a final notice to file your complaint within 15 days of the publishing of this notice. It is to be informed that, please understand that further action will be taken if you do not file an appeal / complaint.

To be informed.

Sd/- Executive Officer, Taluk Panchayat, Thirthahalli
DIPR/smg/ksmca/25-26/47/05/212

GOVT OF KARNATAKA
Hindhu Religious institutions And Charitable Endowments Department
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SRI NIMISHAMBA TEMPLE, GANJAM
Shreerangapatna taluk Mandya Dist 08236-297641
NO: SNT/CR/06/2025-26 DATE: 08/05/2025

E-TENDER NOTIFICATION
(GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA THROUGH E-PROCURMENT PORTAL ONLY)

Tenders are invited for the following dues for the Sri Nimishamba Temple, Srirangapatna Ganjam, Mandya District, for a period of 12 months from the date of order issued by this office. Submit all necessary documents as per the technical qualification criteria as mentioned in the tender document. The E. M. D specified below should be submitted in any of the modes mentioned in the e-procurement portal. The EMD shall be valid for a period of 45 days beyond the validity period of the tender. Further details may be obtained during office hours.

SL NO : 01. TENDER NAME : Needed groceries and necessary materials for Sri nimishamba temple. ESTIMATE AMT(RS. LAKHS) : 85.00 LAKHS. E.M.D AMT(RS.) : 2,00,000 - 00

The Tender Schedule dated under – eprocurment system are as follows

(1) Date of circulation of Tender document on e-portal Date :12-05-2025. (2) Last date and time to download and submit tender : Date: 26.05.2025, 5.00 pm. (3) Date & time for opening of tender Date: 28.05.2025, 11.00 am

More Information can be obtained on this portal https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/-Executive Officer, Sri Nimishamba Temple, Ganjam, Srirangapatna

ವಾಸಾಸಂಜ/ಸನಿ–ಮಂ/ಕೆಎಸ್‌ಎಂಸಿಇ/081/2025–26

ವಿಜಯನಗರ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೃಷ್ಣದೇವರಾಯ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯ, ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ.
ವಿನಾಯಕ ನಗರ, ಕಂಟೋನ್ಮೆಂಟ್, ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ–583105. ಫೋನ್ ನಂ.ಮುಖ್ಯ ಆವರಣ: 8892531820,
ಸ್ನಾತಕೋತ್ತರ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ನಂದಿಹಳ್ಳಿ: 8660493897 E-Mail ID: www.vskub.ac.in

ನಂ.ವಿ.ಶ್ರೀ.ಕೃ.ವಿಬ/ಶೈಕ್ಷಣಿಕ/ಯುಜಿ/184/2025–26 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 08.05.2025

ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ

ವಿಜಯನಗರ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೃಷ್ಣದೇವರಾಯ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯ "ಜ್ಞಾನಸಾಗರ" ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಯಲ್ಲಿ ವಿವಿಧ ಹೊಸ ಸ್ನಾತಕ ಪದವಿ, ಡಿಪ್ಲೋಮಾ, ಪಿಜಿ ಡಿಪ್ಲೋಮಾ, ಮತ್ತು ಸರ್ಟಿಫಿಕೇಟ್ ಕೋರ್ಸುಗಳ ಪ್ರವೇಶಾತಿಗಾಗಿ ಆನ್‌ಲೈನ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಅರ್ಜಿಗಳನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

I. ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ ವಿಭಾಗ (Contact no.: 9448833426)
1. ಬಿ.ಕಾಂ (ಫೈನಾನ್ಸಿಯಲ್ ಟೆಕ್ನಾಲಜಿ)
2. ಬಿ.ಕಾಂ (ಬಿಸಿನೆಸ್ ಆ್ಯನಾಲಿಟಿಕ್ಸ್)
3. ಬಿ.ಕಾಂ (ಫೈನಾನ್ಸ್ & ಅಕೌಂಟಿಂಗ್) (ಮುಖ್ಯ ಆವರಣ ಮತ್ತು ಸ್ನಾತಕೋತ್ತರ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ನಂದಿಹಳ್ಳಿ)
4. ಬಿ.ಕಾಂ (ಟೂರಿಸಂ ಅಂಡ್ ಟ್ರಾವೆಲ್ ಮ್ಯಾನೇಜ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್)

II. ನಿರ್ವಹಣಾಶಾಸ್ತ್ರ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ ವಿಭಾಗ (Contact no.: 7795147383)
1.ಬಿ.ಬಿ.ಎ. ಸ್ಪೋರ್ಟ್ಸ್ ಮ್ಯಾನೇಜ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್
2.ಬಿ.ಬಿ.ಎ. ಲಾಜಿಸ್ಟಿಕ್ ಅಂಡ್ ಸಪ್ಲೈ ಚೈನ್ ಮ್ಯಾನೇಜ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ (ಮುಖ್ಯ ಆವರಣ ಮತ್ತು ಸ್ನಾತಕೋತ್ತರ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ನಂದಿಹಳ್ಳಿ)

III. ಸೂಕ್ಷ್ಮ ಜೀವಶಾಸ್ತ್ರ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ ವಿಭಾಗ (Microbiology) (Contact number: 9845805477)
1. ಬಿ.ಎಸ್ಸಿ. (ಫುಡ್ ಟೆಕ್ನಾಲಜಿ)

IV. ಗಣಕಯಂತ್ರ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ ವಿಭಾಗ (Computer Science) (Contact no.: 9738338457)
1. ಬಿ.ಸಿ.ಎ. (ಆರ್ಟಿಫಿಶಿಯಲ್ ಇಂಟೆಲಿಜೆನ್ಸ್ ಅಂಡ್ ಮಷೀನ್ ಲರ್ನಿಂಗ್)
2. ಬಿ.ಸಿ.ಎ. (ಡಾಟಾ ಸೈನ್ಸ್) (ಮುಖ್ಯಆವರಣ ಮತ್ತು ಸ್ನಾತಕೋತ್ತರ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ನಂದಿಹಳ್ಳಿ)

V. ಅರ್ಥಶಾಸ್ತ್ರ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ ವಿಭಾಗ (Contact no.: 9986341024)
1. ಬಿ.ಎ. (ಎಕನಾಮಿಕ್ಸ್ ಅಂಡ್ ಡೇಟಾ ಸೈನ್ಸ್)

VI. ಡಿಪ್ಲೋಮಾ ಮತ್ತು ಪಿಜಿ ಡಿಪ್ಲೋಮಾ ಪ್ರೊಗ್ರಾಮ್ಸ್
1.ಡಿಪ್ಲೋಮಾ (ಎಲೆಕ್ಟ್ರಾನಿಕ್ ಮೀಡಿಯಾ) (ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಹತೆ – PUC) (Contact no : 9986131144)
2.ಡಿಪ್ಲೋಮಾ (ಟೂರಿಸ್ಟ್ ಗೈಡ್) (Contact no : 9591190016)
3.ಪಿಜಿ ಡಿಪ್ಲೋಮಾ (ಫುಡ್ ಅನಾಲಿಸಿಸ್, ಸೇಫ್ಟಿ ಅಂಡ್ ಸ್ಟಾಂಡರ್ಡ್ಸ್) (Contact no : 9845805477) (ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಹತೆ – ಯಾವುದೇ ಪದವಿ)
4. ಪಿಜಿ ಡಿಪ್ಲೋಮಾ (ಟೂರಿಸಂ, ಮ್ಯೂಸಿಯಾಲಾಜಿ ಅಂಡ್ ಆರ್ಕಿಯಾಲಜಿ)
5. ಪಿಜಿ ಡಿಪ್ಲೋಮಾ: (Contact no: 9481664966)
a. ಸೈಬರ್ ಲಾ
b. ಮಾನವ ಹಕ್ಕುಗಳು ಅಂಡ್ ಕಾರ್ಪೊರೇಟ್ ಗವರ್ನನ್ಸ್ (ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಹತೆ – ಯಾವುದೇ ಪದವಿ)

VII. ಸರ್ಟಿಫಿಕೇಟ್ ಕೋರ್ಸುಗಳು (Contact no.: 7676132277)
1. ಸರ್ಟಿಫಿಕೇಟ್ ಕೋರ್ಸ್ (ಫ್ರೆಂಚ್, ಜರ್ಮನ್ ಅಂಡ್ ಸ್ಪಾನಿಷ್ ಲ್ಯಾಂಗ್ವೇಜಸ್)
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Off to a start: Anju Majeed, Chairperson, Sami-Sabinsa Group, inaugurates The Huddle in Bengaluru on Friday, along with (from left) Suresh Nambath, Editor, *The Hindu*; L.V. Navaneeth, Chief Executive Officer; Suresh Balakrishna, Chief Revenue Officer; and Narayan Lakshman, Opinion Editor.

Poignant moment: Delegates stand in honour of the 'courage and sacrifices of the armed forces'.

Eager listeners: The audience are all ears as a session delves into a major topic of interest.

Lighter moment: Stand-up artist Anu Menon with Suresh Balakrishna, CRO, *The Hindu*.

'Political comedy faces existential challenge in India'

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

Indian comedy, especially political comedy, faces an existential challenge in the current socio-political climate, observed Anuradha Menon, a pioneering stand-up comedian and VJ, in a session at The Huddle on Friday.

Best known for her Malayali-coded 'Lola Kutty' alter ego on television, Ms. Menon sat down for a light-hearted session on the inaugural day. However, during the chat, she called attention to the recent mob attack on Habitat Studio in Khar, Mumbai. The popular comedy club-cum-performance venue was vandalised after a YouTube special taped there by comedian Kunal Kamra offended a political group. Soon after the incident, Habitat Studio shut down operations indefinitely.

"They (the mob) went to the comedy club and trashed the place when people were sitting inside," Ms. Menon said. "For some reason, they did not realise comedy specials are shot a few months prior, then edited, sound-mixed and released later. It's not like it's happening in real time that you can go and ask, *Arrey, Kunal Kamra kidhar hai?* [Where is Kunal Kamra?]"

Ms. Menon said people today were "easily offended", and that it's hard to predict what might offend them. And while satire and political jokes often draw the heaviest fire, even seemingly innocuous subjects – such as Ms. Menon making fun of her own son – can rub audiences the wrong way.

"I have never been a political comedian so that has gone in my favour. I talk about everyday things. And my target usually are my family members. But even then, I have been asked questions," she said. Ms. Menon illustrated the challenges of being a woman comedian in what is, by and large, a male-dominated ecosystem.

Ms. Menon said she is "not comfortable" with using too many swear words in her stand-up, but does not oppose those who do.

"I don't think there is extra virtue in me not swearing. If a comedian is doing it, that's completely okay," she said.

Pak. General's speech should have led to pre-emptive action: M.K. Narayanan

Former NSA says India missed an opportunity to split western Pakistan after the 1965 and 1971 wars; former UN envoy T.S. Tirumurti criticises the international community for asking India to show restraint after Pahalgam terror attack; Operation Sindoor has reset rules of engagement, he adds

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India missed an opportunity to "split Western Pakistan" after the 1965 and 1971 wars, former National Security Adviser M.K. Narayanan said on Friday, making the case that it is now difficult for India to defeat terrorism without "eliminating" the terrorist state.

Speaking at the opening session of *The Hindu* Huddle, Mr. Narayanan, who was known as a "hardliner" on Pakistan during his stint as the NSA from 2005 to 2010 in the Manmohan Singh-led United Progressive Alliance government, said that intelligence officials should have better prepared for the current conflict that began with the Pahalgam terror attack of April 22, after a speech of Pakistan Army chief General Asim Munir the week before.

In his speech to Pakistani lawmakers, General Munir had played up religious differences as irreconcilable, and recalled the "two-nation" theory.

At a session titled "Fortified state: Balancing national security with political expediency", moderated by N. Ravi, Director, Kasturi and Sons Ltd., Mr. Narayanan and T.S. Tirumurti, former Permanent Representative of India to the UN, criticised the international community for its response to the Pahalgam attack, as most countries called upon India to "de-escalate" despite Indians being the victims of the terror attack.

Twenty-six men were gunned down by terrorists belonging to the TRF.

"Both in 1965 and 1971, we made one serious mistake. We did not split Pakistan and split it into a set of principalities, which is what Pakistan is today," Mr. Narayanan said, referring to insurgencies in the Balochistan and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa provinces in Pakistan. He said that after the 1971 war and creation of Bangladesh from what was East Pakistan, India thought Pakistan would have "learned a lesson".

He said another mistake was not to take "pre-emptive action" using special forces after General Munir's speech of April 16, adding that after the 26/11 Mumbai attack, he had himself taken responsibility for the intelligence failure.

At the beginning of the session, Narayan Lakshman, Opinion Editor of *The Hindu* and Curator of The Huddle, asked the audience to stand for a moment to recognise the "courage and sacrifices of the armed forces" and express their gratitude to them.

"We need to be careful, because you have now a leader of the Pakistan Army, who is a firm believer, in the clash of civilisations," Mr. Narayanan warned, saying that General Munir's words were the kind of "war speech that I never thought that in the 21st century we would listen from a leader, a person in uniform".

On national security: (from left) T.S. Tirumurti, former Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations, M.K. Narayanan, former National Security Adviser, and N. Ravi, Director, Kasturi & Sons Ltd., at a session of The Huddle in Bengaluru on Friday.

'Reset the rules'

Speaking about the post-Pahalgam air strikes on Pakistan led by the Indian Air Force on April 7, Mr. Tirumurti said that Operation Sindoor had "reset the rules of engagement with Pakistan on cross-border terrorism".

He said India no longer needed to prove in each and every case that the terrorists had come from Pakistani soil, or whether they had been sponsored by Pakistan, unlike the case in previous attacks.

Mr. Tirumurti said that as envoy to the UN, he had seen up close how countries would skirt around the issue of "zero tolerance" for cross-border terrorism.

Educators highlight India's historical relationship with liberal education

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The changing purpose of education, India's historical relationship with liberal education, and the impact of technological advancements were discussed at the The Huddle session "Well-rounded world view: finding a place for liberal education" here on Friday.

The panellists discussed the role of education in a world that is undergoing tremendous geopolitical change, accelerated technological change and a change in nature of work and employment.

They said that education should let students pursue knowledge through different perspectives and encourage them to ask questions.

"When we say liberal education, we are looking at something that does not have any indoctrination. Learners presume that education should give them a degree which then leads them to a particular career. But, the education that one receives should be for the purpose of social being – a refinement of an individual and how they perceive the world around them," said Bhavani S., Dean of School of Humanities and Performing Arts, Christ University, Bengaluru. Jonathan Gil Harris, Professor, Ashoka University, New Delhi, said the focus of education was shifting from "training" to a "means to lead oneself out".

In focus: Bhavani S., Jonathan Gil Harris, Sudeesh Venkatesh and Srinath Raghavan at a session of *The Hindu* Huddle on Friday.

"For the longest time, education has largely meant training which is something that has been inherited from colonial times. It should be a means to problem solving which does not mean arriving at a final answer. It is about learning how to ask better questions," he said.

'A part of India'

Making a reference to how liberal education has always been a part of India, he said, "Even though liberal arts as a phrase might be a relative newcomer [in India], when we look at the early Buddhist educational institutions, there is an emphasis on knowledge procured through shastras, discussions and arguments. We have long been aware of the fact that education is not the reproduction of what teachers say, but questioning everything. We can try to implement the globally best practices while also tapping into the traditions here. The subcontinent can teach the world about the liberal arts."

Sudheesh Venkatesh, Managing Editor, Azim Premji Foundation, highlighted that liberal education should be guided by the interdisciplinarity of issues. "In liberal arts education, you want dialogue and for people to appreciate another point of view and accept it. If people come in with a disciplinary loyalty, then it is a recipe for disaster. The problems of today are interdisciplinary in nature and interdisciplinarity is the way of life and that was the idea behind the establishment of our institution."

Session moderator Srinath Raghavan, Professor, Ashoka University, made an interesting observation about how the emergence of liberal arts programmes in India coincided with the rise of philanthropy.

When he asked the panellists about the need for liberal arts education institutions to deal with many stakeholders, Mr. Harris spoke about the advantages that came with the philanthropy model in which multiple votes could create an ethos of discussion and conflict resolution. Mr. Venkatesh, however, batted for the stability that came with a single investor.

Ms. Bhavani noted how with the easy access to information, the ability to read, process and reproduce information had come down. "We might lose some cognitive abilities due to our dependence on technology," she said.

The educators agreed that there were no defined solutions as of now to the problems created by AI in the educational space.

Filmmakers creating redlines for themselves is dangerous: Nandita

Shilpa Elizabeth
BENGALURU

Nandita Das, filmmaker and actor, speaking at The Huddle on Friday said that films that were being made in India now faced three kinds of censorship.

"One is [from] the official body; then many of us have to self-censor. Then there are some self-proclaimed custodians of culture," she said, adding that free speech was fundamental for any form of art to thrive.

Noting that the variety of films that were being made today were not reflective of the variety of stories that existed in society, Ms. Das said that filmmakers creating redlines for themselves was a dangerous practice as they killed their voice almost voluntarily.

Actor Shahana Goswami said that censorship was imposed by over-the-top (OTT) platforms also, as they feared backlash.

While the emergence of OTT platforms was initially considered a boon for independent movies and regional cinema, the speakers pointed out that the difference between box office and streaming platforms had been shrinking over the years.

Struggles on celluloid: Nandita Das, Shahana Goswami, Jeo Baby and Shilajit Mitra at The Huddle on Friday.

Malayalam cinema was one among the Indian film industries which received unprecedented pan-Indian attention since the pandemic period, thanks to OTTs. However, Jeo Baby, filmmaker, pointed out that last year only four or five Malayalam films, among the 80-odd total movies produced by the industry, made it to OTT.

"The industry is at a loss, and we are facing a crisis to sell our own movies," he said.

Ms. Das seconded it, noting that for every independent film which made it to OTT, 100 others did not. "Theatre and OTT are not very different. The parameters remain the same. The range of movies is decreasing because of market forces," she said.

Ms. Das highlighted the absence of a government body to encourage and support independent films. "Earlier, we used to have NFDC [National Film Development Corporation of India]. Now, there is no replacement. We can't expect private producers to step in, see cinemas as forms of art and do something for the love of cinema. It is true that in our country, economics interferes with art, and we have such a big mainstream cinema industry, the independent voices often get lost," she said.

Mr. Baby nevertheless felt that the audience and film industry in Kerala, were supportive of good cinema. "We have a wonderful audience in Kerala... lots of Malayalam movies after 2015 got pan-Indian reception. We are trying to do something differently, including our actors. For *Kaathal*, if there is no Mammootty, there's no movie. He also produced the movie. That [is the] kind of support we get from the industry, including from actors," he said.

He recollected how his sleeper hit, *The Great Indian Kitchen*, was made for festivals. Following the cancellation of film festivals during the pandemic, the creators approached major streaming platforms and TV channels, only to face rejection. The movie was later streamed on an OTT platform called Nee Stream.

"The movie then became a hit and it was re-released on Amazon. Then I started thinking why initially the movie faced rejection and realised all those who rejected it were men. The movie became a hit because of the women audience," he said.

Ms. Goswami, who acted in *Santosh*, which was banned by the CBFC, said the hope was with the audience. "Thanks to the buzz of the film not coming out, people have pirated and watched it and I constantly get messages from them...That made me realise the audience wants to watch films they can connect to. They are intelligent enough," she said.

Not against delimitation, but States in South must get 33% seats: Revanth

The southern States, which strictly implemented family planning and reduced population, will stand to lose if delimitation exercise is based on population or pro rata, says Telangana CM; he also speaks about caste count, promoting foreign investment and creating infrastructure in the State

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Spotlighting issues: Telangana Chief Minister Revanth Reddy speaking at *The Hindu* Huddle through video conference with Ravikanth Reddy, Political Editor, Telangana, *The Hindu,* on Friday.

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Telangana Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy has said that the southern States stand to lose from the delimitation exercise. Responding to a question by N. Ram, Director, The Hindu Group, at The Huddle here on Friday, the Chief Minister said the exercise appeared to be a punishment for the southern States which successfully implemented family planning measures to bring down population growth.

"We are fundamentally not against it, but we need to know the terms of reference. If it's based on population or pro rata, the southern States would lose as they strictly implemented family planning. Instead of appreciation, they are punished for the initiative. And such a scenario would widen the gap between the southern and northern States," he said.

Asked about a solution to the issue, Mr. Reddy suggested that 33% of the seats in the Lok Sabha should be given to the southern States. Taking up the case of these States, he said, "We have been contributing a lot in terms of tax but what we get in return is much less compared to the BIMARU [an acronym for Bihar, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, and Uttar Pradesh] States. So the best solution is to give 33% seats to the South. BJP apparently wants to deny political opportunity to the South with just one policy," he said.

He opined that there should be wider consultations with all stakeholders on the terms of reference and other issues.

Branding the caste count a Congress party initiative that has been taken up by the BJP now, he said the survey would be an answer to the next generation over the result of welfare taken up in the past 70-odd years.

"We have taken up several parameters such as health, education, and backwardness and included all sections – Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, minority, Economically Weaker Section – for the census across Telangana to ensure justice to the poorest of the poor. This is the Telangana model, and Government of India is implementing it," he said.

He spoke at length about the farming community in Telangana, which forms 60% of population, and said ₹21,000 crore of debts were cleared and another ₹18,000 crore input subsidy per annum was provided to farmers. "Besides free power, farmers in Telangana get bonus and MSP and their paddy production was the highest in the country. My idea is to facilitate a farmer, a businessman and an employee in each family," Mr. Revanth said.

He said Telangana could secure ₹3 lakh crore investment through the Davos platform and the investments are being facilitated through a single-window clearance system.

"There are a bunch of countries such as Taiwan where the investment is overflowing. I want to propose Telangana a preferred alternative in the world for foreign investment. Infrastructure, manufacturing and green technologies are being encouraged. And there is zero tax on electronic and other segments," he said.

Giving details about the proposed fourth city around Hyderabad, he said it would cater to investments in a bouquet of sectors including medical tourism, education, sports and sustainable living with zero emissions.

"We want to create the best infrastructure here to give competition to global cities such as New York," he said.

Taking the field: K.C. Vijaya Kumar, Sports Editor, *The Hindu*, with cricketers Shantha Rangaswamy, Mithali Raj and Shreyanka Patil at a session of The Huddle.

Taking women's cricket out of corridors of uncertainty

Ashwin Achal
BENGALURU

Stars from three generations speak about their experiences and passion for the game

Stars from three generations – Shantha Rangaswamy, Mithali Raj, and Shreyanka Patil – engaged in a lively discussion at The Huddle on Friday on the growth of women's cricket in India.

Shantha, the first Indian women's team captain, spoke about her pioneering role. "We laid the foundation. We may not have seen the likes of Mithali and Shreyanka if we had faltered in the initial stages. What drove us was the passion for the game," Shantha said in a session titled "No boundaries: growth of women's cricket in India", moderated by K.C. Vijaya Kumar, Sports Editor, *The Hindu*.

In a glittering international career, which spanned over two decades, Mithali moved the needle in terms of popularising women's cricket.

Mithali said the turning point for the sport came in 2006, when the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) took control of women's cricket. "In my early days, when the Women's Cricket Association of India (WCAI) ran the sport, the financial aspect was not great. It was a struggle to get investors and endorsements for us to have an international series. Coming under the BCCI was huge, because that opened access to better infrastructure, resources, equipment, and domestic structure," Mithali said.

'Inputs from Sachin'

Coming under the BCCI umbrella gave Mithali and others access to top-class facilities such as the National Cricket Academy in Bengaluru. At the NCA, interactions between women cricketers and stalwarts like Sachin Tendulkar and Rahul Dravid proved to be invaluable. "When you have a dialogue with the likes of Sachin and Dravid, you learn a lot," she said.

The 42-year-old recalled a time when she sought the help of Tendulkar. "When I was a bit older, I had trouble picking fast bowlers. I asked Tendulkar for advice, and he told me to practice on 18-yard pitches instead of 22-yard strips. This helped me a great deal, as I went on to win the T20 'Player of the Series' award in South Africa," Mithali said.

Thanks seniors

Shreyanka, the modern-day star, paid tribute to her predecessors. "Shantha madam laid the foundation. They had to face challenges initially because not all families allowed girls to play. And then came Mithali. People talked about Rahul Dravid and Sachin Tendulkar as the big names. But in women's cricket, Mithali was the biggest name for us. Our generation cannot thank our seniors enough for what they have done for women's cricket. We are now in a stage where we get everything – infrastructure, facilities, exposure and much more," Shreyanka said.

'Disintegration of the world order is significant as attack has come from within'

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"We should not be unduly nostalgic about the old world order, but the disintegration of the world order is significant because the attack has come from within," T.S. Tirumurti, former Permanent Representative of India to the UN, said on Friday.

He was speaking at a panel with Srinath Raghavan, Professor, Ashoka University, on "Decoding Trump - disintegrating world order", moderated by Suhasini Haidar, Diplomatic Affairs Editor, *The Hindu*.

However, Mr. Tirumurti countered that the disintegration had not started with the U.S. or President Donald Trump, but rather, it had started when China entered the World Trade Organization as a non-market economy, and with the emasculation of Russia.

President Trump has been extremely consistent from the first term, he said, whether it was getting close to Russia, or telling Europe to take care of itself, or getting close to Israel.

What's the difference in the second term? He has a slightly inexperienced, loyal team that is also very strong. Unexpectedly, his rapprochement with Russia was impacted by the Ukraine war and the situation in Gaza affected his attempt to get close to Israel.

He has launched a tariff war – causing a huge disruption, but it is not merely transactional in nature. Many things Mr. Trump is doing are actually geopolitical in nature.

Mr. Raghavan added that from the period of 1942, the U.S. decided it wanted to create a certain world order. It would underwrite the global economic order, and privilege the world order over its own interests. The U.S. doesn't believe that any more.

Srinath Raghavan and T.S. Tirumurti in conversation with Suhasini Haidar, Diplomatic Affairs Editor, *The Hindu* at The Huddle.

What Mr. Trump is trying to say now is that the U.S. will no longer bear an asymmetric acceptance of the burden of the world. But there are significant pulls and pressures within his own team. The principal disruption will be with the international economic system, but that has not been constructed by any one player.

Speaking on climate change agreements, Mr. Tirumurti said they were crumbling. There is no longer any money in it. Negotiations have been turned upside down, they want China and India to do it, he added.

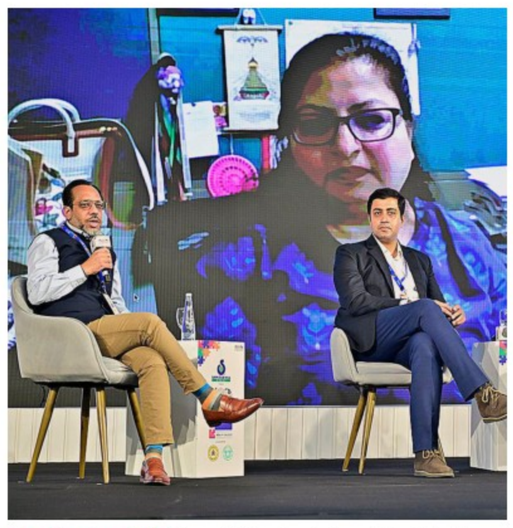
Even international law is crumbling, violated by the Ukraine war and Gaza situation. In the process of MAGA, Mr. Trump should not make China great, he added.

Mr. Raghavan said there have been so many conflicting signals on India and Pakistan itself from America. As far as Asia is concerned, from a security perspective, it is a hub and spoke model, a lot depends on the nature of your bilateral relationship. Each spoke has to negotiate with the hub to negotiate that. The challenge is dual for Asia – it has to deal with the U.S. economically as well, since all Asian countries run export surpluses.

America's decision to leave Bangladesh to India is absolutely welcome. It is an acknowledgement of the reality that India is dealing with its neighbours on its own terms, but that doesn't mean they will not be interested in these affairs, Mr. Tirumurti added.

"Our sphere of influence is Asia, and we are leaders of the Global South, we are not confined to our region... India should take a larger geopolitical role."

Mr. Raghavan advised that India should remain agile and look at what kinds of opportunities arise, even bearing costs meanwhile, if necessary. India actually stands to benefit from some of the disruptions, for instance Apple announcing that most of the phones will be made in India. Mr. Tirumurti added that it is necessary for India to put its house in order on the economic front; it was a good time to introspect and see if the economic structure the nation has is helping its cause.



On climate crisis: Suruchi Bhadwal, Arunabha Ghosh and Sambuddha Misra speaking during a session at *The Hindu* Huddle in Bengaluru on Friday. K. MURALI KUMAR

Role of multilateral regime remains relevant in fight against climate change: experts

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From the impact of Donald Trump's election as U.S. President on the climate change discourse to the relevance of a multilateral regime for climate change, the evolution of climate science over the decades, and the need for India to develop its own climate models, experts on Friday offered multi-layered perspectives on one of the most pressing issues of our time.

Arunabha Ghosh, Founder-CEO, Council on Energy, Environment, and Water, said the role of a multilateral regime in dealing with climate remained relevant, despite the Trump administration's decision to withdraw from the Paris Agreement.

"The science is unequivocal. The planet is warming because of human activities, and it is warming much faster than our models have anticipated. If we do not have a common platform to discuss the science and understand how this is impacting us, we are living in a fool's paradise," Mr. Ghosh said in a session titled "Climate calling: Is technology the panacea for a warming planet?", moderated by Jacob Koshy, Deputy Science Editor, *The Hindu*. Mr. Ghosh also added that while the multilateral regime has a major deficiency in terms of enforcement, "It gives us an opportunity to start striking sectoral agreements, just like in the world of trade," he said.

Drawing from her experience in the field, Suruchi Bhadwal, Director, Climate Change and Air Quality, TERI, said the progress of climate science meant that "there is far more confidence and evidence out there".

The planet is warming because of human activities, and it is warming much faster than our models have anticipated

When she started 25-odd years ago, people were not very convinced about what was being shared about climate change, Ms. Bhadwal said. "Today, we do not have to make the same case to people because they are experiencing those changes. We are talking about the heatwaves, the floods, the rainfall, heavy precipitation incidents you see around the country." While the science is "strong and solid", there continues to be "the need for the right kind of technologies, finance to be put in place to help countries cope with the situation that may arise," she said.

The other aspects of climate change that were discussed at the session included the economic feasibility of clean energy, why climate action needs to be part of a country's industrial policy, the repercussions of ocean warming on marine ecosystems, whether enhanced rock weathering (ERW) can be a climate solution, why a climate change market is needed, the problematic nature of some technologies such as Colossal Biosciences' reconstruction of the genome of the long-extinct Dire wolf, and whether India could play a significant role in contributing to climate change research.

"In terms of India, what I think will matter the most is if we can stop the export of really bright Ph.D. students to the U.S...because research is student-driven," Sambuddha Misra, Chemical Oceanographer and Professor, IISC, said. "The best of the brains are exported... (due to) a combination of post-colonial hangover and the idea that India is resource-limited," he added.

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Greater regularity

Genetic sequences of Nipah virus must be shared in public databases quickly

The case of a 42-year-old woman in Kerala testing positive for Nipah virus on May 8 makes it the third such instance being reported from the State's Malappuram district in the last two years. The earlier cases were detected last year, in a 14-year-old boy on July 21 and a 24-year-old adult on September 15. With the latest detection of Nipah in the State, Kerala has recorded two outbreaks, in the years 2018 and 2023, involving human-to-human transmission, and four spillovers in the years 2019 and 2021, and two events in 2024. In the May 8 event, even though only one person tested positive for Nipah and seven close contacts tested negative, it is a bit early to call it a spillover. Unlike an outbreak, Nipah spillovers are restricted to a single case with no human-to-human transmission. One reason for the absence of human spread is the timely detection of the case and isolation of the patient. The other reason is the clinical presentation. In the case of Nipah virus spillovers, patients who tested positive for the virus had presented with acute encephalitis syndrome (AES), while in the Nipah outbreaks in 2018 and 2023, the index case and at least a few other infected people had presented with acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS). Compared with AES, patients with ARDS present with relatively severe conditions with lung involvement. Besides cough, patients presenting with ARDS have higher viral loads, which serve as a surrogate for disease severity. Immaterial of whether blood, urine or cerebrospinal fluid samples test positive or not, throat swab samples generally test positive if a person is infected by the Nipah virus, which again serve as an indicator of human spread in the case of patients with ARDS. The high viral load, the presence of virus in the throat and the tendency to cough make human spread possible. Greater disease severity in ARDS cases is also the reason for the Nipah deaths in 2018 and 2023. There were 17 deaths from 18 cases in the 2018 outbreak, and two deaths from six cases in the 2023 outbreak. A study by the ICMR-National Institute of Virology (NIV) Pune found that the 2018 Nipah virus had small genetic variations from the Bangladesh strain and was able to cause multisystemic disease in a Syrian hamster model resembling human infection.

The Nipah virus is capable of causing different clinical presentations and is endowed with the ability to cause human spread in some cases. This makes a strong case for a quick and thorough genetic study of the virus in humans and bats. With Nipah cases now a very regular occurrence in Kerala, the compulsion to routinely study fruit bats, which are natural hosts for Nipah, cannot be overemphasised. That even the 2018 virus showed small genetic differences from the Bangladesh strain makes it even more important to know whether the virus causing the spillovers without human spread has evolved further. Such studies can be done by more scientists only when the genetic sequences are shared in public databases without any delay.

Captain's exit

India's Test team seems set for a transition phase

A storied career is grinding to a halt in phases. Rohit Sharma, as is the trend now among cricketers, is doing the slow fade-out. First up, he retired from T20Is, and now at 38, after a poor run in Tests, the Indian skipper has bowed out of cricket's longest format. If earlier, players did the reverse of quitting limited-overs cricket and stretching their stint in Tests, as was the case with Sachin Tendulkar, modern heroes prefer the kinetic energy of the abridged versions over the gritty charm of the five-day tussle. As the English sport with an Indian heart grapples with an identity crisis in an era of shorter attention spans, players are perhaps swayed by the magnetism of cash-rich T20 leagues, with the Indian Premier League leading the way. Rohit, though, has other motives in keeping away the shadows from ODIs. Dropped from the 2011 World Cup winning squad, he still hurts over India's semifinal loss to New Zealand in the 2019 World Cup in England, a championship in which he struck five tons. To make it worse, under his captaincy, India lost the World Cup final to Australia in the 2023 edition at Ahmedabad. That India won the 2024 Twenty20 World Cup and this year's ICC Champions Trophy, has kept him motivated.

Cricket's beating heart is centred around Tests. A brand that offers second chances, and one that probes the quality in every cricketer. There was a time in the 1980s when Tests were the real deal and ODIs were deemed an afterthought. Much water has flowed in the Thames and Hooghly since then and this is an age in which T20 leagues have more allure. The West Indians led by Chris Gayle were the initial members doing service in diverse T20 leagues across the globe. Rohit and Virat Kohli have donned the India shade from 2007 and 2008, respectively, and their's have been a long stint. In perhaps forcing Rohit's exit from Tests, the selectors are doing the slow recasting of Indian batting in Tests. Cheteshwar Pujara, Ajinkya Rahane and now Rohit, had to vacate and much would hinge on Kohli and K.L. Rahul, the senior duo, when India heads to England in June for five Tests. Rohit, the one-day supremo, always outdid his Test avatar. Still, to score 4,301 runs from 67 Tests, in which a significant chunk came as an opener, is remarkable.

It is time to protect India's workers from the heat

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In the first week of April 2025, Delhi crossed a dangerous threshold: the temperature soared above 41°C, and nights offered little relief. These extreme conditions are no longer outliers but part of a new, deadly normal. With climate change intensifying year after year, Indian cities have become the epicentre of a growing crisis.

And while heatwaves affect everyone, it is India's millions of urban informal workers who are bearing the brunt of this slow-moving disaster. The Reserve Bank of India has pointed out, in 2024, that extreme heat threatens the health and livelihoods of occupationally exposed people, potentially causing a projected 4.5% loss to India's GDP. Despite their considerable contribution, essential roles and sheer numbers, they are consistently excluded from the planning and implementation of urban heat response strategies. This exclusion has deadly consequences.

Key challenges in current Heat Action Plans

Many Indian cities now have Heat Action Plans (HAPs), inspired by pioneering efforts as in Ahmedabad. These plans, guided by the National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA), are meant to prepare cities for increasingly frequent and intense heatwaves. Yet, more than a decade later, most HAPs remain perfunctory, underfunded and poorly coordinated.

A review of HAPs across India reveals a consistent worrying pattern: informal workers are largely invisible. Worse, most treat heatwaves as temporary – short-term disasters instead of the symptoms of a deeper climate crisis that demands long-term, structural responses. The NDMA's 2019 heat wave guidelines do not mention informal workers explicitly, but generally, under the category of outdoor workers and vulnerable groups. At the State level, most HAPs lack protocols for occupational safety, hydration, cooling spaces, shade provision or even a mention of compensation for lost work. City-level plans take a generalised public health and awareness approach, neglecting livelihood impacts. HAPs in India also suffer from fragmented governance and institutional silos. The Ministries of Labour, Environment, Urban Affairs and Health operate independently in the absence of guidelines at the central level, resulting in disjointed and inconsistent protections for workers. Moreover, city HAPs often remain short term, immediate for summer months, crisis-oriented documents. City heat actions rarely integrate long-term strategies such as urban cooling, heat-resilient infrastructure, working conditions, flexible work norms, or worker-focused social protection

Millions of urban informal workers in India continue to bear the brunt of flawed Heat Action Plans

Globally, cities are adopting worker protections against rising heat. In the U.S., California and Oregon mandate employers to provide water, shade, rest breaks, and heat safety training. France's "Plan Canicule" requires work adjustments, hydration during heat alerts, and opened public buildings and spaces to the public for cooling off. In Qatar and Australia, outdoor work is restricted during peak heat, and employers are obligated to assess and mitigate heat risks. India, too, offers examples. Ahmedabad's HAP introduced adjusted working hours and shaded rest areas. Odisha mandates a halt to outdoor work during peak hours. These good practices and innovations do offer replicable, worker-centric models for adapting urban livelihoods to extreme heat.

Towards a worker-centric response

We urgently need a new kind of urban heat response: one that is worker-centred, just, and grounded in lived realities.

First, the NDMA's 2019 Heat Guidelines must be updated to explicitly include informal workers. A revised framework must map occupational vulnerabilities distinctly for varied workers –whether it is for construction workers, street vendors, waste pickers, gig workers or rickshaw pullers – and provide actionable protocols for city and State governments that may use them contextually. This includes defining safe working hours, mandatory rest breaks, access to water, and emergency response mechanisms.

Second, is the mandate for worker participation in the creation of city and State HAPs. These cannot remain top-down exercises. Every municipal body must engage worker collectives, unions, and worker welfare boards in co-creating occupation-specific plans. Constituting civil society and community coordination groups at the city level is key. Local wisdom and the involvement of workers' associations in co-producing solutions makes policies more realistic, responsive, and respected.

Third, informal workers deserve the right to shade, rest, and cooling. We need to establish shaded rest zones, hydration points and community cooling centres in key locations – markets, transport hubs, public spaces, labour *chowks*, construction sites. Open public buildings, malls and open spaces as cooling centres. These must be accessible, gender-sensitive, and co-maintained by workers and the local community. It is time to develop norms, guidelines, institutionalise protections and allocate dedicated budgets for this.

Fourth, innovative financing – through corporate social responsibility, or dedicated city development budgets –must support local solutions as adaptations. Health insurance must be expanded to cover heat-related illnesses, especially for those in informal occupations who are typically excluded from mainstream schemes. And yes, community-neighbourhood contribution and involvement are a must and should be woven in action plans. Cool roofs, shaded walkways and passive ventilation must become standard practices, not just pilots.

As a part of city design and governance

Fifth, this leads to a bigger shift: embedding heat resilience and worker safety into how we design and govern our cities. Heat adaptation and worker inclusion must be legally written into master plans, building bye-laws, and infrastructure codes. Cities must promote natural shade through urban forests and tree corridors, while also planning blue networks such as water bodies and public resting spaces. Informal workspaces such as vendor markets, waste depots and labour *chowks* must be retrofitted with materials and design strategies that ensure thermal comfort.

Sixth, at the national level, we need an inter-ministerial task force on climate and work, bringing together the Ministries of Labour and Employment, Housing and Urban Affairs, Environment, Forest and Climate Change and Health, with of course NDMA, and State Disaster Management Authorities. This task force must develop an integrated road map linking climate resilience with worker protection and labour codes. It must guide cities, coordinate efforts, and ensure accountability. Every city and district must appoint a dedicated heat officer – someone empowered to manage and monitor heat response measures and work across departments.

For informal workers, the climate crisis is not a distant threat. It is a present and daily struggle. The cost of inaction is no longer measured only in degrees – it is measured in lives, in lost livelihood and poor health, and, in burdened futures.

Sprouting sustainable, nutrition-sensitive food systems

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The global food system is facing significant challenges from resource limitations and climate change even while trying to ensure food accessibility and affordability. Despite being a major producer of milk, fruits, vegetables, grains and livestock, India struggles with nutritional issues, which include undernutrition and overnutrition, alongside widespread micronutrient deficiencies. These jeopardise its demographic dividend and economic resilience. Ranked 105 out of 127 countries in the Global Hunger Index 2024, India's food insecurity requires urgent action.

The data from the National Family Health Survey (NFHS-5), 2019-21 is cause for concern: nearly 194 million Indians are undernourished. Among children under five, 35.5% are stunted, 32.1% are underweight, and 19.3% suffer from wasting. Simultaneously, there is a worrying increase in overweight and obesity, affecting 24% of women and 22.9% of men. Additionally, 57% of women of reproductive age are anaemic, underscoring the widespread issue of hidden hunger. Thus, there needs to be a comprehensive strategy to address malnutrition in a holistic manner.

Globally, food system failures cost nearly $12 trillion annually through health, nutrition, and environmental degradation. For India, with its fast-growing population and climate vulnerabilities, such as unsustainable trajectory is not an option. Yet, within this crisis lies a powerful opportunity – transforming food systems around nutrition, sustainability and equity can boost national well-being and support progress on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

The nutrition challenge as a perfect storm

Food insecurity is no longer just about hunger. It now encompasses all forms of malnutrition, including diet-related non-communicable diseases (NCDs). Millions, including food producers, struggle to afford a healthy diet. According to the FAO, 55.6% of Indians are unable to afford nutritious food, with the cost rising to $3.36 purchasing power parity (PPP) per person per day in 2022 from $2.86 in 2017.

Structural flaws in food systems exacerbate this issue, while climate change further threatens crop yields, biodiversity, and the livelihoods of small-scale farmers, deepening nutritional vulnerability.

India's struggle with nutritional issues must lead to a transformation where nutrition becomes an integral part of agriculture and economic planning

If unaddressed, malnutrition will continue to impede human capital development, drive up health-care costs, and reduce economic productivity.

Transforming food systems

A shift towards sustainable, nutrition-sensitive food systems can ensure that healthy, safe food is accessible and affordable for all. This transformation demands a multi-sectoral approach involving governments, businesses, communities, and the health and nutrition sectors.

To achieve a meaningful transformation, several key strategies must be implemented in a cohesive and sustained manner. Nutrition-sensitive agriculture is central, requiring agricultural policies that integrate nutrition objectives by promoting the cultivation of climate-resilient, biofortified crops, enhancing crop diversity, and improving post-harvest storage systems to bolster food security and dietary quality. Community-led nutrition interventions such as the Nutrition-Sensitive Community Planning (NSCP) model enable local communities to address nutrition determinants including soil and water conservation, Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene (WASH), and health-care access through a bottom-up approach.

School-based nutrition programmes such as Nutri-Pathshala help combat childhood malnutrition by incorporating biofortified grains into school meals, while also supporting local agriculture by sourcing from nearby farmers. Strengthening social safety nets is essential to ensure that vulnerable populations have access to nutritious food – this involves enhancing the Public Distribution System (PDS) and mid-day meal schemes with nutrient-rich, indigenous foods and integrating behavioural change campaigns that encourage healthy eating.

The private sector must contribute by moving beyond conventional food production to prioritise nutrition, through clearer labelling, digital education tools such as QR codes on packaging, and innovation in fortification, plant-based alternatives, and nutrient-dense foods, supported by effective regulations and incentives. Tackling underlying climate and economic vulnerabilities is another cornerstone, necessitating climate-smart agriculture, expanded rural economic opportunities and gender-sensitive policies that build resilience against shocks.

Finally, widespread awareness campaigns are indispensable; grass-roots efforts using interactive tools such as the 'MyPlate Blast Off' game and radio programming can disseminate vital nutritional information, especially in areas with limited digital access, fostering informed and healthier communities.

To achieve SDGs 2, 3, and 12 ('Zero Hunger', 'Good Health and Well-Being' and 'Responsible Consumption and Production') place-based innovation is key. Research by TERI and the Food and Land Use Coalition (FOLU) in the Himalayas has highlighted the importance of socio-technical innovation bundles. These include region-specific, micronutrient-rich crops, decentralised processing, and local food networks connecting farmers, processors, and consumers. Strengthening these community-based systems can enhance nutrition security.

Role of nutrition and health communities

The health and nutrition sectors are vital in driving food system transformation. Nutritionists, public health experts and policymakers must collaborate to embed nutrition into agriculture and economic planning. Tackling malnutrition and NCDs requires systemic approaches that address inequality and promote climate resilience. The NSCP and Nutri-Pathshala show the power of integrating nutrition with agriculture, education and social development.

Incremental change is no longer enough. A bold transformation of food systems is essential. Governments must align policies with nutrition, businesses must adopt sustainable practices, and civil society must push for inclusive, community-led solutions. Nutrition must guide how we shape food systems, economies, and policies. A nourished population is the bedrock of a resilient and equitable society. The challenge is vast, but so is the opportunity. The time to act is now.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Conflict and realisation

Given the fragile state of its economy, Pakistan cannot afford to get entangled in a prolonged and conventional military confrontation with India. As a country riddled with high foreign debt and perilously low foreign exchange reserves, Pakistan's rulers ought to understand the crippling repercussions of full-scale war with India on its economy and its people. It is time Pakistan avoided significant escalation, which holds the key to preventing its economic collapse and mass suffering.

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Sholavandan, Tamil Nadu

The plight of Pakistan can be summed up by the phrase, "as you sow, so shall you reap". Having sown the seeds of terrorism and hatred, and now facing the music, one can only hope that Pakistan realises its folly.

Dr. Biju C. Mathew,
Thiruvananthapuram

For the media

The war-like situation is also a time to focus on the conduct of the Indian media. The business of nationalism is flourishing and news channels are engaged in intense competition to increase their TRP. Every explosion and every military advancement becomes a tool to increase ratings. There is a large element of animosity in the so-called prime-time debates. Instead of factual reporting, there is much speculation and biased analyses. The sufferings of the ordinary people or the far-reaching consequences of war are no longer subjects of concern.

Muhammed Rizwan M.K.,
Chalad, Kannur, Kerala

Is truth becoming a victim? Anchors and reporters are spewing out information as if they are first-hand witnesses to the events and are able to move freely around the place. People in general seem to be too afraid to question or logically think if some things could be that simple. The warfare needs to wind down and diplomacy given a chance. There are many people with friends and relatives in both countries, whose involvement and concerns should be heard.

Hemachandra Basappa,
Bengaluru

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The Lairai Devi temple in Shirgao, north Goa, a day after the stampede. EMMANUAL YOGINI

A stampede and screams before sunrise

Over a lakh devotees gathered for north Goa's annual Lairai *jatra*, a procession held in Shirgao village, leading to the Shree Lairai Devi temple. Then, there was a mishap on the steep hill; a rope barricade was broken, and chaos ensued. Within a few minutes, six were dead and over 80 injured in a stampede that now has the State administration and the temple committee arguing over who was at fault and who should govern the religious institution, finds **Purnima Sah**

On May 2, Sonia Nandadurgi's son, Sagar Shivkumar Nandadurgi, 31, a devotee of Goddess Lairai, boarded a bus with six friends from Piligao village to Shirgao village, 13 kilometres away. Here, in north Goa's Bicholim taluka, is the Shree Lairai Devi temple, where every year in April or May, people flock for rituals that culminate in the lighting of a bonfire from which coals are raked and devotees called *dhonds* walk over.

Waving to his mother and uncles, he promised to be home the next morning after walking on *agnidivya* (embers). The next morning, at 6 a.m., Sagar's three uncles learnt from their neighbours that he and five others had died in a stampede at the temple.

Sagar's funeral rites were performed on May 3. Since then, politicians and State administration officials have been streaming into the two-room house, offering their condolences. On May 4, the Governor of Goa, P.S. Sreedharan Pillai, visited the family. Sagar's uncle and neighbour, Sainath Kavlekar, 45, says until May 9, the family had not received the post-mortem report.

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>
> **SAINATH KAVLEKAR**
> Sagar's uncle

A devotee's mother weeps

Sixty-year-old Sonia's home is surrounded by jackfruit, cashew, coconut, and mango trees. There is a *tulsi* planted in a mound of red earth at the entrance. The house used to be *kuccha*; Sagar had recently plastered it with cement, she says.

Family members who live in the area say he wanted to paint the house and also replace the tin-sheet roof with a *pucca* one. At home, surrounding an anachronistic TV set on a wooden table are the many awards that Sagar had won in school, college, and at work for his performance. His spectacles, office bag, and medals all hang from walls and doors. Sagar had worked for Tirumala Bank's loan recovery department, the stable job helping him and his mother build a better financial life.

Sonia had lost her husband when Sagar was just a toddler. She had brought Sagar up by doing odd jobs over the years. She refuses to eat or drink water. "Why did you (the Goddess) take my son, my only son, my whole life," she asks in Konkani, sobbing. "What is the purpose of my life without him?"

Overcrowding and a stampede

On the intervening night of May 2 and 3, an estimated one lakh people or more – as per temple authorities and the administration – had gathered between 11 p.m. and 1 a.m. to offer prayers and walk on embers at the temple. There is only one concrete, steep road going towards the temple, broad enough only for a lorry to pass.

Rupesh Rajput, 35, a *dhond* from Bicholim town, recounts the chaotic scenes that unfolded that day. "I suffered a minor injury. I am lucky to be alive," he says. "At about 2 (in the morning) what I saw was distressing. A group of *dhonds* were playing with the *beth* (canes *dhonds* carry, also used in the rituals within the temple). They pushed people in front of them. There was a rope that divided the *dhonds* from the regular devotees. Within minutes, at least seven queues had been formed, and the dividing rope was gone," he says. That precipitated the chaos that led to the stampede, he says.

Sagar was rushed to the community health centre in Bicholim, where he was declared 'brought dead', says Kavlekar. "His friends told us that he was pushed by other *dhonds* and fell on the pavement. He was crushed by the crowd. He was such a gentle and kind man," he says.

Soon after the incident, 74 people were admitted in the Goa Medical College and Hospital (GMCH) in Bambolim, the Asilo Hospital in Mapusa, and in community health centres at Sankhali and Bicholim. Nine injured people remain admitted in GMCH, of which four are on ventilator support.

Dr. Rajesh T. Patil, the medical superintendent at GMCH, says many suffered severe multiple fractures in the ribs. "Two patients have severe head injuries with cerebral hypoxia (when the brain is starved of oxygen). This is a serious complication that occurs after a chest injury," he says. GMCH has been conducting mental health sessions for families and survivors, he adds.

On May 3, Goa Chief Minister Pramod Sawant announced the transfer of five senior officials in the administration. He also announced an ex-gratia compensation of ₹10 lakh to each family of the deceased and ₹1 lakh each to those who had suffered serious injuries. Sainath says no one from the administration has reached out to them about the compensation.

The road to the temple

During the temple festival, there is a build-up of stalls selling everything from flowers to toys, at Wadacha Wada hamlet in Shirgao, where the stampede took place, about a kilometre from the temple. Now, there are just a few stalls selling puja essentials, but the smell of jasmine lingers in the air.

A cloth merchant says his stall was vandalised by the crowd, but he is thankful to have survived the stampede. "I was holding on to a bamboo pole that I had put up to make the stall. In no time, all the four bamboo supports were brought on the ground. The clothes for sale were run over," he says, refusing to be named. He adds that there was no police presence at the spot.

Despite the stampede the previous night, devotees continue to throng the temple the following days, but temple authorities have turned off the music. The accident spot is relatively quiet. Footwear, heaps of *beths*, jasmine, purses, wallets, and pieces of torn clothes remained on the sides of the street.

Residents in the hilly area, whose porches were taken over by the crowd, say they were terrified to wake up to sounds of ambulances and screaming. Ravina Madgaonkar (48), who lives with her husband and two children, says that every year, people come to their porch to wait or just lie down to rest. This year there were far more people, and the corners of their compound walls are broken.

"My 22-year-old son has been a *dhond* for the past seven years. He managed to return home, but he had a tough time getting into the house as people were sitting right outside our closed doors," says Madgaonkar.

The grief of a husband and uncle

Aditya Ankush Kauthankar (16) had accompanied his aunt Tanuja Shyamsundar Kirtankar (51) and his cousin Ritika (15), all of them *dhonds*. Seeing his aunt and cousin unable to get up, he rushed to help them, but was himself crushed in the chaos, says Ritika, who survived. He and his aunt were brought dead to the Mapusa district hospital.

"It was sheer luck that someone dragged Ritika out and put her into an ambulance," says her father, Shyamsundar Kauthankar (60), who lost his wife. Ritika suffered injuries in her leg and wears a temporary brace. The family lives less than 10 kilometres from here, and Shyamsundar is a construction worker.

"I am worried about how I will take her to school to write her class 9 paper. The school has not agreed to give her any relief," says Shyamsundar. He was informed about the incident by his older daughter, who was waiting near the *homkhand*, the pile of wood that was to be torched.

Ritika always imitated her mother, who had been a *dhond* since she was a child, says Shyamsundar, who has always feared crowds. "If Aditya and Tanuja were taken in an ambulance instead of a police van, they may have survived. How did the State authorities allow stalls on both sides of such a narrow road, that too on a slope? Until last year, the police used to release *dhonds* and devotees in batches of 15 to 25 at a time. This year, there was no management," he says.

Aditya's mother is a domestic help and father a taxi driver. Aditya had just passed his class 10 board examinations, and his sister is in class 8. The family is in shock and cannot speak. "He was so excited to study in class 11 that he had kept his newly stitched uniform, socks and shoes ready for the new term," says Shyamsundar.

Arun Desai, assistant sub-inspector, Bicholim police station, says the crowd has only grown each year, and it has become a mammoth task for the police to handle. "Devotees from Goa and neighbouring Maharashtra and Karnataka started coming from early in the morning on May 2. By the night, the crowd was too much for the police to handle."

Faith and devotion

The Lairai Devi annual *jatra* (pilgrimage), also known as the Shirgao jatra is centuries old, says Dinanath Gaonkar (69), president and priest of the temple committee.

At the 2,700-square-metre premises, devotees submit their wishes to Lairai, who is one of eight siblings who made Goa their home, as per legend. Lairai's sister Mirai was adopted by the Portuguese, who christened her Milagres (*milagre* is Portuguese for miracle). Oil for the temple festival comes from the church of that name in Mapusa, says Gaonkar.

"Imagine all the *dhonds* must complete the fire walk between 2 and 6 in the morning," he says. The Mahajans (hereditary male descendants of the temple's founders) believe that the Goddess Lairai then walks to the *chavata*, a space about 200 metres from the *homkund,* where she rests.

After this ritual, at 3.30 p.m., *prasadam*, consisting of *patkali* (ixora) and *kodu* (bottle gourd) flowers, is served. "Lairai Devi is our protector of water and forest resources, which we once had in abundance," says Gaonkar.

The area has seen heavy mining of iron ore, he adds. "Since 2008, we have filed several petitions in various courts to restrict mining operations. Today 270 hectares of land is with the mining companies," he says, adding that the State government has been hard on the temple because of this opposition.

State authorities say that in a meeting held on April 30, with the police and district administration, the temple committee was instructed to install CCTV cameras and strong barricades to segregate devotees from regular visitors, so queues would be better regulated. A government official says this was a private event, making the organisers responsible.

Gaonkar counters that the State administration had failed to do its job. "Before the festival, the government had assured us of adequate police staff and arrangements such as barricades, but on the day of the festival, the police was not even present," he says. Permission for stalls outside the temple premises were given by the government, he claims. There is mounting pressure on the temple committee to hand over the temple and the festival, says Gaonkar. "In March the State government, without consulting with us, declared Lairai jatra a State festival. The temple committee refused to accept it."

The temple comes under Goa's Devasthan Regulation, 1933 – informally called the Mahajani Act – which has governed Hindu temples (*devasthans*) in the State since Portuguese rule. Up to 66.08% of Goa's population is Hindu, as per the last census. "There are around 500 Mahajans who are from Kshatriya Bhandari and Brahmin communities. We cannot hand over centuries of tradition to the government, who has no idea how the temple functions."

After the tragedy, the State government constituted a fact-finding committee headed by State Revenue Secretary Sandeep Jacques. The findings were to be revealed on May 9, but they are now under the review of the Chief Minister.

People collecting ashes from the embers on which the *dhonds* walk outside the Lairai Devi temple in Shirgao, Goa; (right) Sonia Nandadurgi, whose son Sagar Shivkumar Nandadurgi died in the stampede at the temple. EMMANUAL YOGINI

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India repels Pakistani strikes for second day

An armed drone targeted a civilian area in Ferozpur, resulting in severe injuries to members of a local family, a source said adding the injured have been provided medical assistance and the area has been sanitised by security forces.

A sudden power outage had plunged Jammu city into darkness following two loud explosions on Friday night, likely from the interception of intruding drones. Immediately after, sirens echoed throughout the city, alerting residents to seek shelter.

Aerial objects had attempted to strike the strategic Jammu airport and its surrounding areas, which house Army, Air Force, and paramilitary installations.

Locations including Baramulla, Srinagar, Avantipora, Nagrota, Jammu, Ferozpur, Pathankot, Fazilka, Lalgarh Jatta, Jaisalmer, Barmer, Bhuj, Kuarbet and Lakhi Nala were targeted by aerial objects on Friday.

"A shell fired from Pakistan landed just behind the Christ School, run by the Carmelites of Mary Immaculate, a congregation in Poonch. Tragically, the shell hit the home of two students of the school. Both unfortunately lost their lives and their parents were severely injured," Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri said on the civilian deaths in J&K, while addressing a press conference in New Delhi on Friday. The deceased woman, Nargis Bashir, was a resident of Baramulla's Uri and was hit by a mortar shrapnel when travelling from Razarwani to Mohra.

Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha, Mr. Abdullah and senior Minister Sakina Ittoo met victims of shelling in both Kashmir and Jammu.

Residents said the intensity of shelling was higher than that witnessed during the 1999 Kargil war. India shares 3,323 km of its land border with Pakistan along the States of Gujarat, Rajasthan, Punjab, and the Union Territories of J&K and Ladakh.

'Pak. used 400 drones possibly from Turkiye'

"What I want to underline is that the official and blatantly farcical denial of these attacks that Pakistan carried out by the Pakistani State machinery is yet another example of their duplicity, and the new depths that they are plumbing in their quest for disinformation," Mr. Misri added.

According to official sources, over 500 drones, mostly quadcopters, were launched in three waves in 36 locations across the western border between 8 p.m. on Thursday and 12 a.m. on Friday. The first wave was relatively small, but increased over the next two waves, an informed source said.

Meanwhile, heavy shelling by Pakistan continues along the Line of Control (LoC) which has resulted in fatalities and injuries among Army personnel, though the numbers were not disclosed.

Earlier in the day, Defence Minister Rajnath Singh chaired a meeting at South Block with Chief of Defence Staff General Anil Chauhan, Army Chief General Upendra Dwivedi, Navy Chief Admiral Dinesh K. Tripathi, Air Chief Marshal A.P. Singh and Defence Secretary Rajesh Kumar Singh to review the security situation along the western border and the operational preparedness of the armed forces.

Wing Commander Singh said Pakistan did not close its civil airspace despite it launching a failed, unprovoked drone and missile attack on May 7 at 2030 hours, stating that this was "irresponsible behaviour". "Pakistan is using civil airliners as a shield knowing fully well that its attack on India would elicit a swift AD response. This is not safe for the unsuspecting civil airliners, including international flights, which were flying near IB between India and Pakistan," she stated.

Fifth edition of *The Hindu* Huddle begins

Mr. Reddy discussed major developmental policies in his State, outlining why his party and those across southern States had expressed concerns regarding any delimitation formula that took only demographic changes into account and not the economic contributions of these States.

Hosting a packed auditorium at the Taj West End, *The Hindu* Huddle also brought its viewers a diverse range of panel discussions on contemporary subjects including on climate change, AI, women's cricket, liberal education, and how women directors are transforming the landscape of cinema across India.

The sports panel was led by women cricketers from three generations including Shantha Rangaswamy, Mithali Raj, and Shreyanka Patil. Climate change was debated by experts in this field, including Dr. Arunabha Ghosh, Founder-CEO, Council on Energy, Environment and Water, Dr. Sambuddha Misra, Chemical Oceanographer and Professor, IISc, and Suruchi Bhadwal, Director, Climate Change and Air Quality, TERI.

The role of women directors in shaping the norms of cinema was debated by film personalities Nandita Das, Shahana Goswami, and Jeo Baby. Dr. Bhavani S., Dean of School of Humanities and Performing Arts, Christ University, Dr. Jonathan Gil Harris, Professor, Ashoka University, and Sudheesh Venkatesh, Managing Editor, Azim Premji Foundation, shed light on the value of liberal education in the modern world.

It is not a court's duty to tell media to delete or take down content, says SC

Judgment comes in a challenge to Delhi HC order directing takedown or deletion of a Wikipedia page on ANI; courts must not be seen to regulate or stifle freedom of speech and expression, it says and highlights importance of debate and criticism

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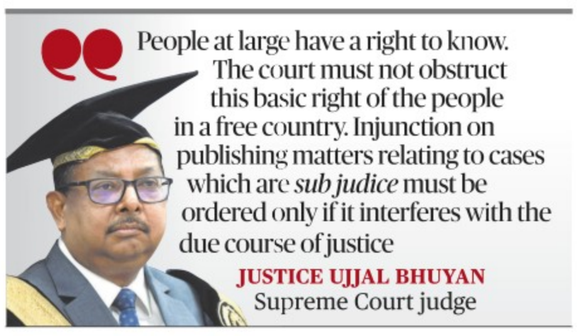
NEW DELHI

The Supreme Court, in a judgment on Friday, held that it is not the duty of courts to instruct the media to delete or take down content.

The verdict by a Bench of Justices A.S. Oka and Ujjal Bhuyan came in a challenge to a Delhi High Court order directing the takedown or deletion of online content related to a defamation case between news agency Asian News International (ANI) and Wikimedia Foundation and comments allegedly made by the Single Judge of the High Court hearing the dispute.

A Division Bench of the High Court had given Wikimedia 36 hours to take down a page on ANI hosted on its platform. The Division Bench order of October 16 last year *prima facie* decided that the content bordered on contempt and amounted to interference in court proceedings and violation of the *sub-judice* principle by a party to the defamation proceedings.



People at large have a right to know. The court must not obstruct this basic right of the people in a free country. Injunction on publishing matters relating to cases which are *sub judice* must be ordered only if it interferes with the due course of justice

JUSTICE UJJAL BHUYAN
Supreme Court judge

The apex court judgment, authored by Justice Bhuyan, found the direction to take down the content "disproportionate".

"We have no hesitation in our mind that such directions could not have been issued," Justice Bhuyan concluded, setting aside the takedown order.

He said courts must not be seen to regulate or stifle the freedom of speech and expression. "It is not the duty of the court to tell the media: delete this, take that down... Both the judiciary and the media are the foundational pillars of democracy which is a basic feature of our Constitution. For a liberal democracy to thrive, both must supplement each other," Justice Bhuyan observed.

'Debate essential'

The judgment said introspection and robust debate are essential for the improvement of institutions, including the judiciary. "Courts, as a public and open institution, must always remain open to public observations, debates and criticisms. In fact, courts should welcome debates and constructive criticism," it said.

Media can vigorously debate on *sub judice* or ongoing proceedings. However, criticism must be objective and constructive. The apex court reminded that judges have no means to respond publicly to personal criticism. A case of contempt would be made out if a publication scandalised the court or its judges.

The judgment said a court could opt for an order of preventive injunction against the Press only if there was reasonable ground to believe that publication would impair the administration of justice or the right to fair trial. The danger apprehended should be imminent and real. People at large have a right to know. The court must not obstruct this basic right in a free country.

Injunction on publishing matters relating to cases which are *sub judice* must be ordered only if it interfered with the due course of justice, Justice Bhuyan noted.

Similarly, courts can order the postponement of an article only when necessary to prevent real and substantial risk to the fairness of court proceedings. The court must keep in mind the important public role of the media in a democracy and subject a postponement order to the twin tests of necessity and proportionality.

A postponement order should operate only for a limited period and without disturbing the content of the publication. The media has a right to challenge such an order in a higher court. "A postponement order is a neutralising device to balance interests of equal weightage, that is, freedom of expression vis-a-vis freedom of trial," Justice Bhuyan explained.

Taslima free to move anywhere in India: Centre

The Hindu Bureau
KOLKATA

Writer Taslima Nasreen is free to move anywhere in the country, the Union Government has informed BJP MP Samik Bhattacharya, who had demanded in Parliament that she be allowed to return to West Bengal.

In response to a Rajya Sabha parliamentary query, the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change has confirmed that the exiled Bangladeshi author has been granted an Indian visa of appropriate category and duration, allowing her the freedom to move anywhere in India, including Kolkata. The assurance came in a letter addressed to the Rajya Sabha MP by Union Minister of State Kirti Vardhan Singh, dated May 5, 2025.

Ms. Nasreen has lived in exile since mid-1990s, after facing threats from Islamist groups for her outspoken writings on women's rights and religious extremism.

Nadda reviews preparedness of emergency response health systems

Bindu Shajan Perappadan
NEW DELHI

Union Health Minister J. P. Nadda has directed all medical establishments to ensure that medical emergency response health systems are adequately equipped and functional at all times. Also, the All Indian Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Delhi and other Union government hospitals have been asked to mobilise doctors and nurses with supplies for ready deployment.

At a high-level meeting on Friday, Mr. Nadda called for ensuring that ground-level linkages with all State governments particularly at the district levels, especially border States, be effectively established to ensure immediate emergency healthcare, if required.

A round-the-clock control and command centre in the Ministry will monitor ongoing efforts and support States in the present times, he said.

Taking stock: J.P. Nadda at a meeting with officials to review health systems' preparedness in hospitals across the country. PTI

Additionally, all hospitals and medical institutions have been asked to ensure availability of essential drugs, adequate supply of blood, oxygen, trauma care kits and so on. "They have been advised to coordinate with State and district administration, armed forces and regional associations of doctors, nurses, paramedics, private sector hospitals, charitable institutions etc., to strengthen the emergency response networks in a collaborative manner," said a senior Health Ministry official.

At the meeting, the Health Minister was briefed about the status of medical preparedness for handling emergency cases. He was apprised of the actions taken regarding deployment of ambulances, ensuring adequate availability of medical supplies including equipment, medicines, supply of blood vials and consumables, hospital readiness in terms of beds and deployment of BHISHM Cubes, advanced mobile trauma care units and so on. The Bharat Health Initiative for Sahyog Hita & Maitri (BHISHM), part of Project Aarogya Maitri, is an innovative emergency medical aid programme.

Nationwide mock drills for disaster preparedness have been conducted at various health care institutes. "Union Health Ministry is closely monitoring the situation and remains committed to ensuring uninterrupted healthcare services and emergency response across all regions," said a release issued by the Ministry.

HC closes case after Ramdev says no more offensive remarks

Press Trust of India
NEW DELHI

The Delhi High Court on Friday closed a case after Yoga guru Ramdev pledged not to pass any further disparaging remarks against Hamdard's Rooh Afza.

Justice Amit Bansal said the averments of Mr. Ramdev and Patanjali Foods Ltd. in their affidavits were binding on them and decreed the suit in favour of Hamdard National Foundation India.

The court had previously ordered removal of the controversial online content and asked Mr. Ramdev and Patanjali to file their undertaking.

The court passed the order while dealing with a lawsuit by Hamdard National Foundation India against Mr. Ramdev and his Patanjali Foods Ltd. over the controversial remarks.

Baba Ramdev

While promoting Patanjali's "gulab sharbat", Mr. Ramdev alleged the money earned from Hamdard's Rooh Afza was used to build madrasas and mosques. On April 22, the court sought an affidavit from Mr. Ramdev and Patanjali promising to "not issue any [such] statements, social media posts or disparaging videos/ advertisements in future".

8,000 X accounts, news portal blocked in India; media bodies decry action

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

Several news portals, including BBC Urdu, and journalists have been impacted by the blocking order

Over 8,000 accounts, apparently most of them Pakistani, on the X platform have been withheld in India.

The announcement came from X's Global Government Affairs handle late Thursday evening. Through Thursday and Friday, some Indian accounts on X, such as the ones belonging to the New Delhi-based news portal Maktoob News, Srinagar-based journalist Anuradha Bhasin, and political content creator Arpit Sharma, were also withheld.

The news portal The Wire has o been blocked, the site said on its social media handle, vowing to challenge the blocking order. The site continued to be available on some network carriers and Internet service providers (ISPs) on Friday evening, as website blockings do not generally become apparent immediately across all networks.

The X account of BBC Urdu was withheld on Friday. The actions come across social media and video sharing platforms as the government seeks to stamp out disinformation regarding Operation Sindoor and its aftermath.

X disagrees with orders

X said that it disagreed with the orders while indicating that it was not in a position to challenge the orders legally as users could do. The account through which X posted this statement, belonging to its Global Government Affairs team, was itself withheld shortly after it made this post. After the account withheld that particular post, its other posts were visible again on Friday morning.

The Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology did not immediately respond to a request for comment. The Ministry of Information and Broadcasting also did not announce blocking of *The Wire* or respond to a query on the site's inaccessibility.

"For a significant number of accounts, we did not receive any evidence or justification to block the accounts," X said. "... it amounts to censorship of existing and future content, and is contrary to the fundamental right of free speech."

The Press Club of India, the Indian Women's Press Corps, the Press Association and the Delhi Union of Journalists jointly condemned action. "Such crackdowns are against the freedom of the press and directly against the interests of the Indian public," they said in a statement.

India abstains from IMF vote to give more funds to Pak., flags its 'poor track record'

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NEW DELHI

India on Friday announced that it had raised concerns in the International Monetary Fund (IMF) about the efficacy of its funding to Pakistan. It also said it had abstained from the vote to provide additional funding to the cash-strapped country, citing Pakistan's "poor track record" and the fact that the IMF is bound by "procedural and technical formalities".

The Executive Board of the IMF met on Friday to vote on disbursing $1 billion out of a total $7 billion Extended Fund Facility (EFF) to Pakistan and to extend a further $1.3 billion as a Resilience and Sustainability Facility (RSF).

"As an active and responsible member country, India raised concerns over the efficacy of IMF programmes in case of Pakistan given its poor track record, and also on the possibility of misuse of

debt financing funds for state-sponsored cross-border terrorism," the Ministry of Finance (MoF) said.

The Congress was quick to criticise the government over its decision to abstain, saying that India had "chickened out".

"On April 29th, the INC had demanded that India vote against the IMF loan to Pakistan, which was considered today by its Executive Board," Congress leader Jairam Ramesh posted on X.

"India has only abstained from the vote. The Modi Government has chickened out. A strong NO would have sent a powerful signal." The MoF pointed out that Pakistan has been a "prolonged borrower" from the IMF, with a "very poor track record" of implementation and of adherence to the IMF's program conditions.

"In the 35 years since 1989, Pakistan has had disbursements from the IMF in 28 years," it said. "In the last 5 years, since 2019, there have been four IMF programmes. Had the previous programmes succeeded in putting in place a sound macroeconomic policy environment, Pakistan would not have approached the Fund for yet another bailout programme."

The IMF's data shows that, since 1958, Pakistan has availed 24 loan facilities from the IMF and that the $1.3 billion RSF would be the 25th. India also highlighted that the IMF's funding through loans was creating a situation where Pakistan was becoming too big a debtor for the IMF to allow to fail.

Home Minister meets chiefs of BSF, CISF to assess preparedness

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

Amit Shah

Amid heightened tensions at the western border in the wake of Operation Sindoor, Union Home Minister Amit Shah met the chiefs of the Border Security Force (BSF) and the Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) on Friday.

The Directorate of Civil Defence, under the Home Ministry, has written to all States to grant emergency procurement powers to civil defence authorities in light of the current security environment and the threat of hostile attacks.

The BSF is deployed along the western border and the CISF is deployed for securing vital installations, including airports. The Union Minister reviewed the security preparedness as Pakistan continued aerial attacks along the western border in Jammu and Kashmir, Punjab, and Rajasthan.

Highlighting Section 11 of the Civil Defence Rules, 1968, the Directorate in a letter titled "augmentation of civil defence measures in the states/UTs" reminded that the State governments are empowered to undertake all necessary actions for the protection of people and property, and to ensure the uninterrupted functioning of vital services during a hostile attack. The provision authorises the use of local authority funds for such emergency measures, giving them precedence over other financial obligations.

The communication said that States and Union Territories invoke Section 11 and grant emergency procurement powers to their respective Directors of Civil Defence. "In the current hostile attack scenario, I would like to draw your kind attention towards Section 11 of the Civil Defence Rules, 1968, which inter-alia empowers the State Governments, to take such measures, which in the opinion of the state government necessary for the protection of persons and property from injury or damage, or for ensuring the due maintenance of the vital services, in the event of hostile attack. The funds of the local authority shall be applicable to the payment of the charges and expenses incidental to such compliance..." read the letter.

India's steadfast unity in itself is a challenge to Pakistan: Misri

Kartarpur Corridor suspended due to prevailing tension; Foreign Secretary accuses Pakistani forces of targeting gurdwaras both in India and within their own territory in a 'desperate attempt' to spread communal discord and mislead the world

Kallol Bhattacherjee
NEW DELHI

Tense times: A resident stands near the shattered windows of a gurdwara in Poonch town of Jammu and Kashmir. Pakistan has been resorting to mortar shelling of places along the Line of Control. AFP

Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri condemned Pakistan on Friday for waging a disinformation campaign, asserting that India's "steadfast unity" posed a significant challenge to Pakistan. Mr. Misri also accused Pakistani forces of targeting gurdwaras both in India and within their own territory in a bid to sow communal discord in India. He announced that due to the current tense situation along the International Border (IB), the Kartarpur Corridor – connecting Indian pilgrims to the second most important Sikh shrine in Pakistan – has been suspended.

"As we saw in the Pahalgam attack, Pakistan is again trying desperately to impart a communal hue to the situation with an intention to create discord. Again, we are not surprised. India's steadfast unity is in itself a challenge to Pakistan," said Mr. Misri. He made the remark in response to Pakistani reports that an Indian drone was shot down in Nankana Sahib district, which hosts the Gurdwara Janam Asthan in the district capital Nankana Sahib in Pakistan.

Mr. Misri accused Pakistan of targeting several places of worship of Sikhs, both in Poonch in India and in Pakistan's Punjab province, saying, "This is nothing but a desperate attempt by Pakistan to disown its acts of aggression. It will not succeed. The gurdwara in Poonch in particular was attacked by Pakistan. Some local members of the Sikh community, including the *ragi* (*kirtan* singer) of the gurdwara, lost their lives in this incident as I shared yesterday."

He stated, "I think you are all aware of the situation along the entire India-Pakistan border, and the areas near the Line of Control. In view of the existing security scenario, the services of the Kartarpur Sahib Corridor have been suspended till further directions. We will update you as and when there is a change in the situation," said Mr. Misri.

The Kartarpur Sahib Gurdwara is revered as the final resting place of Sikhism's founder Guru Nanak who is known to have spent the last 18 years of his life at this site. The Kartarpur Corridor connects Dera Baba Nanak in India with the Gurdwara Sri Kartarpur Sahib. It was inaugurated by former Pakistan Prime Minister Imran Khan on November 9, 2019. Mr. Misri said Pakistan's attempts to target gurdwaras were an "effort to deceive and mislead" the world.

"We have seen the Pakistani side targeting and shelling places of worship with a particular design. These includes gurdwaras, convents (in Poonch) and temples. This is a new low, even for Pakistan," the Foreign Secretary said.

Consultations continue

India has continued consultations with its key partners, with External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar exchanging notes with his counterparts from global capitals. He spoke with U.S. Secretary of State Marco Rubio on Thursday. "The Minister deeply appreciated the U.S.'s commitment to work with India in the fight against terrorism. He also underlined the targeted measures that India had taken in connection with Operation Sindoor. The Minister also underlined that India would firmly counter any attempts at escalation," said Mr. Misri.

He stated that Mr. Jaishankar discussed the prevailing situation with U.K. Foreign Secretary David Lammy and his Norwegian counterpart Espen Barth Eide on Friday.

Officials here maintained that despite several engagements with stakeholders, including the U.S., Saudi Arabia and Iran, India has not sought mediation through them as India continues to maintain direct diplomatic contact with Pakistan.

Army chief empowered to bring in TA personnel

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

In the midst of tensions with Pakistan, the government has empowered the Chief of the Army Staff to call on officers and personnel of the Territorial Army (TA) to provide for "essential guard or to be embodied for the purpose of supporting or supplementing" the regular Army.

The notification dated May 6, issued by the Department of Military Affairs, shall remain in force for three years with effect from February 10, 2025 to February 9, 2028.

Of the existing 32 Territorial Army Infantry Battalions, 14 Infantry Battalions can be called upon for deployment in the areas of Southern Command, Eastern Command, Western Command, Central Command, Northern Command, South Western Command, Andaman and Nicobar Command and Army Training Command, it stated.

At present, the Territorial Army has a strength of approximately 50,000 personnel comprising 65 Departmental units such as Railways, IOC, ONGC, and Non Departmental TA units of Infantry Battalion (TA), including Home & Hearth Battalions, Ecological Battalion (TA) affiliated to various Infantry Regiments, etc.

Don't believe rumours; have enough food stocks: Joshi

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NEW DELHI

Urging people not to fall prey to misleading reports, Union Food and Consumer Affairs Minister Pralhad Joshi said here on Friday that there is no shortage of essential commodities in the country.

"Whether it is rice, wheat, or pulses such as *chana, tur, masoor*, or *moong*, there is absolutely no shortage, and citizens are advised not to panic or rush to the markets to purchase food grains," he said in a statement, and asked people not to believe in propaganda messages regarding food stocks.

"We have ample food stocks, far exceeding required norms. Don't pay heed to such messages. Traders, wholesalers, retailers or business entities which engage in trading of essential commodities are directed to cooperate with law enforcement agencies. Any person indulging in hoarding or stockpiling shall be prosecuted under relevant sections of the Essential Commodities Act," Mr. Joshi said.

The Ministry said in a statement that the current rice stock stands at 356.42 lakh tonnes (lt) against a buffer norm of 135 lt. Similarly, wheat stock is 383.32 lt against a buffer norm of 276 lt, the Ministry said.

Adequate fuel stock

India has ample stocks of petrol, diesel and cooking gas LPG, and there is no need for panic buying, oil companies assured the public on Friday.

The State-owned Indian Oil Corporation Ltd., Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd., and Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd.. in separate statements, promised enough stock availability and smooth operations.

(With PTI inputs)

Recently upgraded air defence guns of Army shoot down Pakistani drones along border

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India's air defence system intercepts objects in the sky during a blackout following multiple blasts in Jammu on Friday. REUTERS

The government on Friday said on record that Pakistan has launched 300-400 drones, likely Songar drones by Asisguard of Turkey, across the western border and a number of them were shot down by Indian air defences.

Army air defence guns firing air burst ammunition intercepted the small drones. The overall air defences across the Indian air space are monitored and controlled by the Indian Air Force's Integrated Aerial Command and Control Systems (IACCS) nodes at various locations.

Informed sources, however, said over 500 drones, mostly quadcopters, were sighted in three waves in 36 places across the western border on Thursday night between 8 p.m. and around midnight. "Majority were small quadcopters which don't show up on most radars, except the low-level lightweight radar which has been calibrated to detect them," a source said.

Meanwhile, the retaliation included a calibrated response with long-range loitering munitions, including the Harop and the Harpy, the result of which was seen on television on Thursday, sources said.

Songar drones are armed quadcopters developed by Asisguard of Turkey with a 3-km operational radius. Countering these drones were air defence guns – L-70, Zu-23 and Shikla – all of which have been upgraded recently and can fire air burst ammunition, which is effective in taking down small drones.

For instance, the L-70s have been upgraded recently by optical sights and hydraulic systems by Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL). Air burst rounds explode close to a target but do not hit them. This makes them highly effective in taking down a swarm of drones.

Air defence networks function in layers and at three levels – gun/missile system, medium range and long range.

At the longest range is the S-400 with a range of 400 km, followed by the MRSAM (Medium Range SAM) with a range of around 70 km, Akash (25 km), Israeli Syyder SAM (around 10 km), and then legacy systems such as the Osa-AK and Tunguska systems. After these are shoulder-fired very short range systems such as the Igla-S as well as the Strela-mounted systems.

While upgrade of high-end air defence systems is ongoing, equipping existing L-70 and Zu-23 air defence guns with air burst ammunition has been identified as a priority from the lessons of the Ukraine war. A tender has already been floated for 30mm fragmentation ammunition for the existing vintage guns.

The Army has already issued a Request For Proposal for a successor gun to replace the L70 and Zu-23 for 220 guns along with smart ammunition. Trials are expected to commence this July and the contract is likely to be signed by May-June 2026, Director General of Army Air Defence Lt Gen Sumer Ivan D'Cunha had said recently.

Pakistani media twisting the facts on operation: govt.

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NEW DELHI

The Information and Broadcasting Ministry on Friday accused the Pakistani media of twisting facts to "mislead their audience" and "shield terror actors behind a facade of patriotic propaganda".

"Operation Sindoor was launched as a response to the attack that took place in Pahalgam, on April 22, killing 26 civilians. During the press briefing on May 7, India clarified its response as focused, measured and non-escalatory. It was specifically mentioned that Pakistani military establishments had not been targeted. It was also reiterated that any attack on military targets in India will invite a suitable response," it said.

'Truth is first casualty'

The Ministry said: "What should have been a moment of international reckoning against terror has instead been manipulated into a disinformation war, where truth is the first casualty."

Flagging the "grossly exaggerated claims", it said nearly all major Pakistani news channels such as *Geo News, Dunya News, ARY News,* and *SAMAA TV* have been "repeating the same unverifiable, inflated claim: that the Pakistan Air Force has shot down Indian drones".

"For instance: *Geo News* alleges 25-29 drones were intercepted without providing visual evidence or independent verification. *Dunya News* inflated that number to 32 drones. *ARY News* claimed 25 drones were shot down, and also added drama by naming Israeli-made Harop drones allegedly used by India," the Ministry said.

'Pakistani networks alleging civilian casualties without offering concrete details'

"With no neutral tone and gross misrepresentation of facts, these are coordinated attempts to portray Pakistan as both the victim. There is no mention that these drones were targeting terrorist launchpads, not civilian zones," it said.

The Ministry accused Pakistani networks of repeatedly emphasising "civilian casualties without offering concrete details or differentiating between civilian zones and terror camps".

"*HUM News* and *SAMAA TV* extensively highlight emergency room visuals and civilian interviews from cities like Karachi and Lahore. Not a single channel admits that many of the targeted structures were identified Indian-designated terror facilities – the home to Jaish-e-Mohammed elements and Lashkar-e-Taiba remnants," it said.

The Ministry alleged that *Dawn News* "outrightly denied Pakistan launching any attacks or harboured militants involved in terror strikes inside India. *ARY News* and *Dunya News* call Indian media reports of Pakistani activity in Jammu and Kashmir as "fake news and propaganda".

The Ministry said the Indian Army officially released a video confirming the shooting down of Pakistani drones along the western border, "in response to multiple coordinated attacks by Pakistan armed forces using drones and other munitions".

The Indian Army's statement outlined that Pakistan launched a barrage of drone and missile attacks across the western front.

Special trains to function due to airport closures

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

Railway Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw reviewed train operations on Friday and issued instructions to operate special trains keeping in mind the requirements of the public.

Special trains were arranged by Indian Railways for the passengers who were stranded due to the closure of Jammu and Chandigarh airports, said a Railway spokesperson .

After taking stock of the situation, Mr. Vaishnaw directed officials to coordinate with various government agencies and operate trains to help the people in the border areas.

Centre issues NOTAM, closes 24 airports for civilian flights till May 15

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

A security drill under way at the airport in Jodhpur on Friday. PTI

Amid escalation of tensions between India and Pakistan, the Civil Aviation Ministry on Friday extended the closure of at least 24 airports for civilian flights until 5.29 a.m. on May 15.

Most of these airports are in north, west and central India and includes prominent airports such as Jammu, Srinagar, Leh, Chandigarh, Jodhpur, Jaisalmer and Rajkot.

The decision to extend the Notice to Airmen (NOTAM) for the closure of these airports was taken after Pakistan targeted civilian installations across several cities on the night of May 8.

The airports include those in Amritsar, Ludhiana, Pathankot, Patiala, Bathinda, Halwara, Shimla, Bhuntar, Kangra-Gaggal, Bikaner, Kishangarh, Mundra, Jamnagar, Hirasar, Porbandar, Keshod, Kandla and Bhuj.

"Following a notification from aviation authorities on continued closure of multiple airports in India, Air India flights to and from the following stations - Jammu, Srinagar, Leh, Jodhpur, Amritsar, Chandigarh, Bhuj, Jamnagar and Rajkot - are being cancelled till 5:29 a.m. on May 15, pending further updates. Customers holding valid tickets for travel during this period will be offered a one-time waiver on rescheduling charges or a full refund for cancellations," Air India said in a post on X.

IndiGo added that bookings made on or before May 8 are eligible for fee waiver on change of travel date or cancellation fee waiver for travel until May 22 to and from Srinagar, Jammu, Amritsar, Leh, Chandigarh, Dharamshala, Bikaner, Jodhpur, Kishangarh and Rajkot.

As many as 138 flights to and from the Delhi airport were cancelled by various airlines because of the temporary closure on Friday.

INBRIEF

Kaziranga bids adieu to anti-poaching sniffer dog

The staff of the Kaziranga National Park and Tiger Reserve and the 2nd Battalion of the Assam Forest Protection Force (AFPF) bid a solemn farewell to K9 Karina, a sniffer dog who helped prevent wildlife crimes and track down poachers, on Friday. A female German Shepherd, K9 Karina, served the tiger reserve for 10 years with her handlers Jitu Gogoi and Manas Bora. She was considered one of the most efficient members of the AFPF's drug squad. "K9 Karina recovered from a major surgery in December 2024, but she breathed her last on May 8 due to old age-related health issues," Kaziranga's Field Director, Sonali Ghosh, said.

Assam CM seeks cancellation of remaining Bihu functions

Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma on Friday requested organisers to cancel the remaining Rongali Bihu or Bohag Bihu functions from Saturday onwards. Rongali Bihu, a spring festival, marks the start of the Assamese New Year. The Bihu functions are organised from mid-April to mid-May. Mr. Sarma did not cite any reason for his call, but the appeal is believed to be due to the ongoing India-Pakistan conflict. "I humbly appeal that all remaining Bihu functions scheduled from 10th May onwards be kindly cancelled. Let us bring this vibrant celebration to a graceful close, with the same unity and spirit in which it was celebrated," he posted on X.

CPI expresses concern over misleading content on TV

CPI general secretary D. Raja, in a letter to Information and Broadcasting Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw, expressed concern over the "inflammatory and misleading content" being aired by several television news channels following Operation Sindoor. "While the nation stands united against terrorism, we are witnessing a dangerous trend where certain channels are communalising the issue, spreading unverified claims, and promoting war hysteria, without any official confirmation from the government or armed forces," Mr. Raja wrote. Such coverage, he said, poses direct threat to national cohesion.

Congress holds 'Jai Hind Yatra' in solidarity with armed forces

In a show of support for the armed forces, the Congress on Friday organised the 'Jai Hind Yatra' in several States, citing the need to boost morale in light of the recent escalation in tensions between India and Pakistan. In the national capital, the march commenced from Jantar Mantar and witnessed the participation of senior party leaders, including general secretaries K.C. Venugopal and Sachin Pilot, treasurer Ajay Maken, head of media and publicity Pawan Khera, and Delhi Congress president Devender Yadav. Carrying the national flag, the leaders led the procession in a symbolic gesture of unity and resolve.

India a part of wider trend of eroding press freedom: report

The report says that most governments in South Asia have failed to reverse the increasing levels of impunity for crimes against journalists; it also notes proliferation of disinformation in India in which IT cells of political parties play a big role

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

Indian media "has been shackled and subjected to a systemic strategy to cripple it", according to the 23rd Annual South Asia Press Freedom Report 2024-25. The report, titled "Frontline Democracy: Media and Political Churn", flags several concerning trends, including a "growing trust deficit in media outlets", "choking of independent websites" and the extreme precarity of gig workers who are also having to contend with the challenges posed by Artificial Intelligence (AI).

The report reviews the state of press freedom in India, Pakistan, Afghanistan, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Nepal, Bhutan and Maldives. Noting that Pakistan is "for all intents and purposes an authoritarian regime operating under the guise of democracy", the study pointed out that it witnessed the "most violent year for journalists in the country in two decades with eight journalists killed in the period under review." Highlighting that most governments in South Asia have failed to reverse the "ever increasing levels of impunity for crimes against journalists", the report reveals details of the "horrific murder of Mukesh Chandrakar in Bastar", who was abducted, murdered and buried in a septic tank.

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In a section titled "India: Propaganda and the Press", the report flagged the proliferation of hate speech and disinformation with the "IT cells" of political parties playing a big role.

Self-censorship issues

Noting that "the legal environment for the press has become increasingly hostile in recent years", the report pointed to the use of "defamation laws, sedition charges, the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act (UAPA) and Prevention of Money Laundering Act (PMLA)" to curb media freedom. "Journalists and media houses have faced legal challenges for publishing reports critical of the government, which has led to self-censorship within the industry, following a chilling effect," it said.

"Every authoritarian effort is being made to crush those who seek to hold power to account – crackdowns on media houses; surveillance, intimidation and harassment of journalists, filing of police cases; arbitrary detentions; and the unleashing of raids by the Income Tax Department, and the Enforcement Directorate that oversees financial crimes," the report stated, adding that "withholding government advertisements are routine avenues to harass media houses." Further, the "ongoing mauling of freedom of speech and expression is being done on grounds of national security, maintaining public order, or preventing misinformation," the report said.

It referenced the Global Risks Report 2024, which has found "manipulated and falsified information" to be the "most severe short-term risk the world faces".

The report also dwells on other challenges facing the media, in India specifically and South Asia in general. These include the media workforce reeling under a "shrunken job market", the "growing use of AI for content creation", decline in advertisement revenue, new labour codes encouraging contract work, restructuring of corporate media houses because of mergers and acquisitions, and the worsening precarity of freelance journalism.

On the flip side, the report noted that the media's digital transition has also presented new opportunities, especially for "growing alternative media as a counterbalance to the stagnating legacy media".

Vice-President says national interest is paramount

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

Against the backdrop of India targeting terrorist camps in Pakistan, Vice-President Jagdeep Dhankhar on Friday said every Indian had today realised the power, perspective, and vision of the governance and it had elevated the spirit of every citizen of the country.

He was speaking at the release of Haryana Governor Bandaru Dattatraya's autobiography here.

Saying that no interest - personal, political, or economic - could be above national interest, Mr. Dhankhar emphasised that "expression" and "debate" were complementary in a democratic system and cannot survive without each other. "Democracy cannot survive without expression and if the person believes that whatever he is saying is correct then the expression is meaningless. If we stray away from expression and debate, then ego and arrogance will come which is very painful for both democracy and an individual," he said.

SC is being forced to take on many avatars: judge

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

Supreme Court judge Justice B.V. Nagarathna on Friday said the top court is forced to take different "avatars", from family court to bail court, as litigants appeal to the top court at the drop of a hat, for the slightest of reasons.

Justice Nagarathna, heading a Bench, observed that cases that vitally need the attention of the highest court hardly get it. The court is inundated with petitions challenging every stage or order of the lower courts.

"Cases sent back to the High Courts return to the Supreme Court again. Petitions are filed against impleadments, for allowing amendments in pleadings and even adjournments given by lower courts," she said. The judge noted that the huge inflow of cases to the Supreme Court had diluted its actual focus and purpose as a constitutional court.

Webinar on chronic stress, heart health to be held tomorrow

The Hindu Bureau
CHENNAI

Naruvi Hospitals, Vellore, in collaboration with *The Hindu*, will present a webinar on "Stress: The Silent Killer of One's Heart", at 11.30 a.m. on Sunday.

This is the 10th webinar in the 15-part series organised as part of the "Healthy India, Happy India" initiative.

The session will focus on the often-overlooked link between chronic stress and heart health, offering insights and practical takeaways for individuals of all age groups.

Vinayak Shukla, senior consultant, cardiothoracic surgery, Naruvi Hospitals, Vellore, will speak on "Managing stress for a healthier heart", while Ray George, consultant, cardiothoracic and vascular surgery, Naruvi Hospitals, Vellore, will speak on "Signs, symptoms, and hidden dangers". Mohammed Jaffer Sherif, consultant, cardiothoracic and vascular anaesthesia, Naruvi Hospitals, Vellore, will share his views on "Stress: The science behind it". Hiba Mariam will moderate the session.

The webinar will offer insights and practical takeaways for individuals of all age groups

E-certificates will be issued to those who register. To register, visit https://newsth.live/HIHIUIE or scan the QR code.

'Single-use food, beverage packaging forms 84% of Himalayan plastic waste'

Rahul Karmakar
GUWAHATI

Single-use food and beverage packaging forms more than 84% of the plastic waste in the eco-sensitive Himalayan region, an anti-waste collective of NGOs has found.

According to the Zero Waste Himalaya Alliance, about 70% of the plastics collected from across the Himalayan belt from Ladakh to Arunachal Pradesh is non-recyclable.

The gravity of the environmental reality came to light at the Zero Waste Himalaya Network Meet held in Himachal Pradesh's Bir in April.

The alliance was initiated by the Zero Waste Himalaya, an organisation based in Sikkim's Gangtok, and the Integrated Mountain Initiative based in Uttarakhand's Dehradun. The two organisations have been spearheading The Himalayan Cleanup (THC), one of the biggest movements against plastic pollution in the Indian Himalayan region, since 2018.

According to a Collective, about 70% of the plastics collected from across the Himalayan belt is non-recyclable. FILE PHOTO

A statement issued by the alliance on Thursday said, "Over the past six years, the data has indicated that the Himalayan waste crisis is fundamentally a production and systems issue rather than a post-consumer waste management flaw. While the role of individual behavioural change was acknowledged and emphasised, the need for systemic, policy-level interventions and a paradigm shift away from centralised, extractive waste systems was seen as critical."

A report released by THC said the 2018 waste collection exercise was conducted at more than 250 sites.

Among the nine Himalayan States targeted in 2025, Sikkim generated the most trash items. This was followed by West Bengal's Darjeeling with 36,180 items audited across 37 sites.

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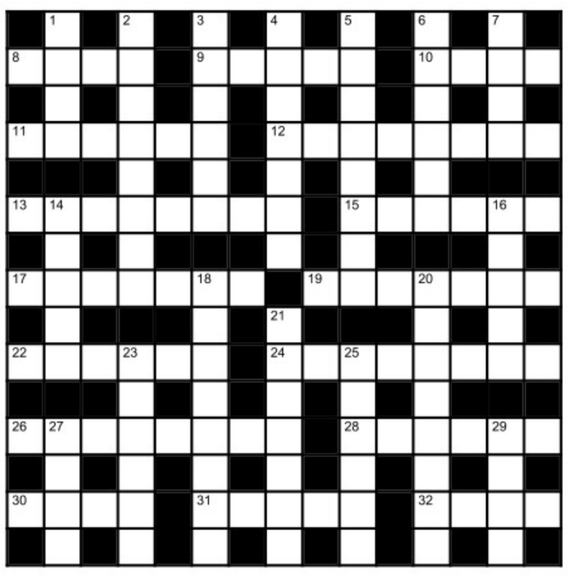

Across

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10 Flying parakeet leaving pear tree (4)
11 Despicable person got back taking a long time (6)
12 Meant, "Indian nursed" (8)
13 Legal tender only for stuff from Kashmir (8)
15 Test gold and distribute (6)
17 How a cheetah is seen? (7)
19 Communist record results in bureaucratic approach (3,4)
22 Type of oil container carried by Indian transportation company (6)
24/26 A part of the launderer's trade's urgent agenda (8,8)
28 Try "Luck" (6)
30 Post repaired material after getting rid of tear (4)
31 Golf paraphernalia? They may be found in such places... (5)
32 Wild party can be gory (4)

Down

1 Male voice is included in musical tour (4)
2 Hate a pro wrongly for producing a spring loaded topper (5,3)
3 See 8 Across
4 Tiger marks found on NCO's sleeves (7)
5 Wandering desert ox gets sugar of some kind (8)
6 Drunk individual died after saint (6)
7 King gets beer and some kind of cabbage (4)
14 Letter from Nainital pharmacist (5)
16 Apes gambol around northern tree (5)
18 Funnily, even aces disappear (8)
20 Will maker use a bit of tungsten in toaster repair? (8)
21 Spills stout after operation and chooses not to participate (4,3)
23 Spanish exclamation about river bird (6)
25 Extra from old tax (6)
27 Old city with a large mountain range (4)
29 Heads of committees of government schools are just parts of the machinery, perhaps (4)

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Solution to previous puzzle

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Solution to yesterday's Sudoku

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FAITH

No tomorrow for Nrisimha

Acharyas and pandits were engaged in a deep debate on the question of God's most eye-catching and beautiful avatar. Tirumazhisai Piran, the fourth among Azhwars, gave the verdict as '*Azhagiyaan Thaane Ari Uruvan Thaane*', naming Nrisimha avatar as the most beautiful one. While those with asura tendencies may cite the avatar as ferocious, to the true devotee, Nrisimha is his benevolent protector, said Tirukkudanthai Dr. Venkatesh.

An old adage says, "There is no tomorrow for Nrisimha". This is because He comes rushing to protect His devotee who believes in Him and appeals to Him. Nrisimha is mercy personified. He took form as half-man, half-lion as a way of outsmarting the asura Hiranyakasipu, who, through severe penance, received a boon from Brahma whereby he could not be killed by man or woman or beast, at morning or night, inside the house or outside, neither on earth nor in the sky, with any weapon. Bloated with ego, he instructed all to worship him as the supreme being and forbid his subjects from praying to any God. Ironically, his son Prahlad was born with unshaking faith in Lord Narayana, thereby posing a challenge. A furious Hrianyakasipu ordered his son's death and taunted him saying, "Where is your God now?" "He is everywhere, even in the pillar here," responded Prahlad at which the cruel king struck the pillar, as dusk fell. With a thundering noise Nrisimha emerged, dragged the asura to the threshold, put his body on his lap and tore him apart with nails.

One should observe Nrisimha Jayanti in the *Vaishaka* month of the lunar calendar under the star of Swati, during the twilight hour.

INBRIEF

Nifty slips 1.1% to 24,008 points on border tension

The benchmark Nifty 50 slipped 1.1% to 24,008 points as the tension on the border between India and Pakistan escalated in the form of attacks and retaliations in the early hours of Friday. Markets fell the most in almost one month in response to geopolitical tensions. Nifty 50 reached the day's low on opening, to 23,935.75 points, and quickly reached the day's high of 24,164.25 points by 11 a.m. before closing at 24,008 points by the end of the session.

Swiggy's Q4 net loss nearly doubles to ₹1,081 crore

Food delivery and quick commerce platform Swiggy on Friday reported widening of consolidated net loss during the March quarter to ₹1,081.18 crore, due to significant investments in quick commerce. The company had reported a net loss of ₹554.77 crore on a consolidated basis in the year-ago period. Swiggy's revenue from operations rose to ₹4,410 crore during the January-March period, as against ₹3,045.5 crore a year earlier, a regulatory filing showed. PTI

MRF Q4 consolidated net profit rises 29% to ₹512 crore

Tyre maker MRF reported a 29% increase in Q4 consolidated net profit to ₹512 crore from ₹396 crore in the year-earlier period. The company's revenue from operations grew 11% year-on-year to ₹7,075 crore. The company reported consolidated total income of ₹28,561 crore for the year ended March 31, 2025 compared with ₹25,486 crore in the previous year. Consolidated profit before tax stood at ₹2,479 crore, as against ₹2,787 crore for the previous financial year.

Indo-U.K. FTA: quota for cars to be based on engine capacity, price

For ICE vehicles, bands for the quota for lower import tariff will be based on engine capacity; for EVs it will be determined based on the price

T.C.A. Sharad Raghavan
NEW DELHI

The lower import tariff of 10% on the auto sector agreed under the India-United Kingdom Free Trade Agreement will incorporate different bands for automobiles for the purposes of quota, according to a senior government official.

"The quota will have different bands for ICE (internal combustion engine) and electric vehicles," the official explained.

"For ICE vehicles, the bands for the quota will be based on engine capacity. For electric vehicles, it will be on price."

The official added that the import duties on automobiles would be lowered over a period of 10-15 years, and that the "futuristic cars" and "low-cost" cars would not be included in the agreement.

Another aspect of the agreement is that the two countries have agreed to share electronic certificates of origin, which would greatly ease business for Indian exports.

"India will gain a competitive advantage over other producing countries in grapes, mangoes, and marine products, and will substantially put India at par with the market leaders in these markets," the official further said.

Further, another government official confirmed that "sensitive agricultural products" such as dairy, apples, oats, and edible oils were not a part of the agreement. He added that sensitive industrial products such as precious metals, smartphones, and optical fibres too were excluded from the deal.

On medical devices, the duty would only be reduced and not eliminated, and that too only from the sixth year of the deal.

The second official also estimated that the Double Contribution Convention – another agreement finalised along with the FTA and to come into force simultaneously – would save temporary workers in the U.K. and their employers about ₹4,000 crore every year. "Indian workers and companies in the U.K. together contribute 20% of workers' annual salary for social security," the official explained.

"However, the benefits from this begin only after the tenth year of contribution. So a worker who is there for only 3-4 years and their employer forgo their entire contribution. They lose about ₹4,000 crore annually."

Separately, the Union government on Friday announced it had signed the terms of reference with Chile for a Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (CEPA).

The mutually agreed terms were signed by Juan Angulo, Ambassador of Chile in India, and Vimal Anand, Joint Secretary in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

Meanwhile, the five-day talks between India and New Zealand for a proposed FTA was said to be concluding on Friday. "The first round of negotiations started on May 5," an official said.

(With PTI inputs)

Off the lane: An official said "futuristic cars" and "low-cost" cars would not be included in the Indo-U.K. agreement. REUTERS

Banks ready with anti-DDoS to thwart cyberattacks, FM told

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

Amidst the unfolding security concerns arising from tensions at the border with Pakistan, Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman on Friday chaired a meeting to review the cybersecurity preparedness of India's financial institutions.

During the meeting, she instructed all banks to coordinate with the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) and CERT-In to ensure quick responses in the event of a cyberattack.

Ms. Sitharaman also instructed banks to designate two dedicated senior officials at the headquarters – one for reporting all cyber-related incidents, and the other to ensure operational matters, including the functioning of bank branches and the availability of cash in ATMs.

Both officers are to report any incident to CERT-In or the relevant agencies and the Department of Financial Services (DFS) "on a real-time basis".

The meeting was attended by MDs and CEOs of public and private sector banks and insurance companies, apart from senior officials from DFS, CERT-In, RBI, the Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India and National Payments Corporation of India.

According to an official release, the bank officials informed Ms. Sitharaman that anti-DDoS (Distributed Denial-of-Service) systems have been implemented by banks to protect against massive cyberattacks. Mock drills have also been held encompassing cybersecurity and disaster recovery scenarios "at the highest levels".

Nirmala Sitharaman

The bank officials further said that their Security Operations Centre and Network Operations Centres are "fully operational and on high alert" and were coordinating closely with CERT-In and the National Critical Information Infrastructure Protection Centre (NCIIPC).

Ms. Sitharaman directed all the banks to ensure that they deal with "any eventuality or crisis" to ensure uninterrupted services across the country, especially in border areas.

She further said priority must be given to "seamless cash availability at ATMs, uninterrupted UPI and internet banking services, and continued access to essential banking facilities".

She also directed insurance firms to make sure claims are settled in a timely manner, and that sponsor banks must ensure regional rural banks are also supported in these times.

MARKETS

MARKET WATCH

	FRIDAY	% CHANGE
Sensex	79,454	-1.10
US Dollar	85.36	0.25
Gold	99,730	0.48
Brent oil	63.55	1.50

NIFTY 50

	PRICE	CHANGE
Adani Enter	2251.00	-34.30
Adani Ports	1306.30	-26.80
Apollo Hosp	6722.00	-129.50
Asian Paints	2299.60	-3.00
Axis Bank	1151.10	-21.10
Bajaj Auto	7682.50	-42.00
Bajaj Finserv	1970.00	-36.00
Bajaj Finance	8641.00	-191.50
Bharat Elec	315.85	8.70
Bharti Airtel	1848.40	-26.50
Cipla	1480.00	-6.80
Coal India	382.40	-3.05
Dr Reddys Lab	1155.90	7.90
Eicher Motors	5324.00	-48.50
Eternal Ltd.	227.14	-2.67
Grasim Ind	2634.80	-63.90
HCL Tech	1569.40	-11.30
HDFC Bank	1889.70	-38.80
HDFC Life	713.60	-9.35
Hero MotoCorp	3853.90	53.40
Hindalco	627.15	6.95
Hind Unilever	2332.90	-22.00
ICICI Bank	1388.90	-46.60
IndusInd Bank	818.20	-8.60
Infosys	1507.60	-3.80
ITC	423.55	-7.05
Jio Financial Services Ltd.	248.35	-3.10
JSW Steel	957.00	3.80
Kotak Bank	2103.10	-9.50
L&T	3443.90	120.00
M&M	2982.10	-51.00
Maruti Suzuki	12250.00	-142.00
NestleIndia	2325.40	-15.30
NTPC	334.75	-5.25
ONGC	234.96	1.74
PowerGrid Corp	299.30	-8.95
Reliance Ind	1377.20	-29.80
SBI Life	1699.80	-31.70
State Bank	779.25	10.25
Shriram Finance Ltd.	601.45	-14.35
Sun Pharma	1744.80	-22.40
TataConsumerProduct	1113.70	-2.30
Tata Motors	708.50	25.65
Tata Steel	142.78	-0.89
TCS	3440.30	-8.60
Tech Mahindra	1493.70	-9.10
Titan	3510.30	141.00
Trent Ltd.	5113.00	-113.50
UltraTech Cement	11364.00	-267.00
Wipro	242.01	0.44

EXCHANGE RATES

Indicative direct rates in rupees a unit except yen at 4 p.m. on May 09

CURRENCY	TT BUY	TT SELL
US Dollar	85.17	85.49
Euro	95.80	96.16
British Pound	113.03	113.46
Japanese Yen (100)	58.65	58.88
Chinese Yuan	11.76	11.81
Swiss Franc	102.54	102.95
Singapore Dollar	65.63	65.89
Canadian Dollar	61.18	61.41
Malaysian Ringitt	19.79	19.89
Australian Dollar	54.50	54.71

Source:Indian Bank

TRAI suggests satellite Internet fee, framework

Aroon Deep
NEW DELHI

The Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI) on Friday recommended fixed satellite services provided by firms like Starlink should pay 4% spectrum usage fee on adjusted gross revenue as well as a ₹500 annual fee per urban subscriber. The recommendations bring India a step closer to accessing satellite Internet services similar to the one provided by Elon Musk-owned Starlink.

TRAI rejected satellite Internet as a competitive or equivalent threat to 'terrestrial' mobile and fixed line networks, reasoning the total bandwidth available on satellite networks was far lower and spectrum could be shared among satellite providers. "It's a complementary service," TRAI Chairperson Anil Kumar Lahoti said. "There is no sound basis to examine this issue in the context of competition."

The recommendations, under consideration since last year, come just two days after the Department of Telecommunications (DoT) issued a letter of intent to Starlink which has been eyeing the Indian market. Starlink now needs to acquire spectrum under the terms TRAI now recommended with a fee of ₹3,500 per megahertz of spectrum it intends to use. (assuming Starlink maximises at 200 megahertz, as it does in some other countries, with an annual expense of ₹70 lakh.)

The United States has been pressing countries around the world to pave the way for services like Starlink as a part of overall trade talks. Mr. Lahoti said this was not a factor in the recommendations today.

Lahoti rejected satellite Internet as competitive to terrestrial mobile networks.

"We have dealt with the entire subject only in the context of the reference received (from the DoT)," Mr. Lahoti said. "If there are any issues with respect to the bilateral trade agreement, etc, those are dealt with by the government, not by the TRAI."

5-year assignment

The spectrum assignment will only last for five years, extendable by two years. Starlink had asked for a minimum 15-year validity of spectrum. An authorisation fee of 8% will also apply as it does to telecom operators and fixed line Internet providers. The fee and surcharge are likely to make Starlink services cost significantly more than the ₹4,200 or the the price for the service in Bhutan.

TRAI recommended spectrum in the 12 - 75GHz range. DoT will now review TRAI's recommendations and if it differs on any aspect, it will refer it back to the regulator after which the government can go ahead with the spectrum administration.

Dr. Reddy's open to manufacturing in the U.S. to sidestep tariff

The Hindu Bureau
HYDERABAD

Generic drugmaker Dr. Reddy's Laboratories is open to manufacturing in the U.S., including through acquisitions, if such a need arises, CEO Erez Israeli said on Friday.

"It is a very important market for us... we are ready for any option," he said to media queries on whether local manufacturing will be evaluated as a measure to avoid the reciprocal tariff on pharma the U.S. is considering.

Underscoring the need for clarity on tariffs in the ongoing trade agreement with the U.S., Mr. Israeli said Dr. Reddy's with its strong balance sheet, is always looking for opportunities to grow inorganically. "But at this stage we do not see a viable opportunity," he said, adding the company decided to shut down its Shreveport manufacturing unit in Louisiana as the facility did not serve the needs in terms of products and activities.

Q4 net up 22%

The company's reported March quarter net profit rose 22% to ₹1,593.3 crore (₹1,309.8 crore). Revenue from operations grew 19.88% to ₹8,528.4 crore (₹7,113.8 crore) on all round performance.

Equity MF inflows dip to a 12-month low on tariff volatility

The Hindu Bureau
MUMBAI

However, monthly SIP contributions rose to an all-time high of ₹26,632 crore as per AMFI data

Tariff-induced volatility in Indian markets led to inflows into equity mutual funds falling to a 12-month low of ₹24,269 cr. in April. Flows into this asset class have been seeing a continuous dip for four consecutive months now, as per Association of Mutual Funds in India (AMFI) data.

"Investor sentiments are fragile as one-year rolling returns in the markets are flat or marginally positive," said Sunil Jain, vice-president of Elara Capital.

Funds mobilised through new schemes plummeted to as low as ₹171 crore, or, about 7% of February flows. However, monthly systematic investment plan (SIP) contributions rose to an all-time high of ₹26,632 crore.

"Markets have become more broad based and sectoral impact of tariffs has become more difficult to ascertain, mainstream categories are making a come back," according to Anand Varadarajan, CBO, Tata Asset Management Company.

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The Senior Assistant Director of Horticulture, East Zone invites tenders from eligible and experienced Person / Agencies / Firms registered in labour department for Maintenance of Parks / Horticulture Works detailed in the table below:

Sl No.	Constituency/ Ward No.	Est. Cost of work (in Rs.)	EMD (in Rs.)	No. of Works
Providing Security Services to Parks in the below Constituencies.				
Reserved for others				
1	Pulikeshinagara, Sarvagnanagara, C.V. Raman Nagar	30,00,000 to 40,00,000	60,000 to 80,000	3
Maintenance of Parks in below wards.				
2	62-Sanjayanagar 120- Bharathnagar	95,000 & 3,72,000	2,375 & 74,400	2
Maintenance & Purchase of Nursery inputs, plants and other works in below constituencies				
3	Pulikeshinagara, C.V. Raman Nagar Shivajinagar Shanthinagar	5,00,000 each	12,500 each	4
Beautification, Horticulture Maintenance works & other Emergency works in below constituencies				
4	Shivajinagar Shanthinagar	5,00,000 Each	12,500 each	2
Reserved for SC				
Providing Security Services to Parks in the below Constituency				
5	Shivajinagar	20,00,000	20,000	1
Beautification, Horticulture Maintenance works & other Emergency works in below constituencies				
6	Sarvagnanagar Shivajinagar	5,00,000 each	6,250 each	2
Reserved for CAT-I				
Providing Security Services to Parks in the below Constituency				
7	Hebbala	30,00,000	30,000	1
Reserved for CAT-II(A)				
Providing Security Services to Parks in the below Constituency				
8	Shanthinagar	50,00,000	50,000	1
			Total Works	**16**

1) Tender documents may be downloaded from KPP portal **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in: from 12.05.2025 onwards.** **2)** Pre Bid Meeting:**14.05.2025 at 11:30 am**. **3)** Last date for submission of Bid documents: **19.05.2025 upto 4:30 pm.** **4)** Date of opening of Technical bid: **20.05.2025 at 11.30 am.** **5)** Date of opening of Financial bid: **After Approval of Technical bid.** Further details can be had from KPP Portal or contact KPP Portal Helpdesk at : 080-22371090 / 22373788 or office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Senior Assistant Director of Horticulture (East Zone).

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT
Vidhana Soudha, Bangalore.

No. FD 03 BMB 2025 Bengaluru, May 09, 2025

PRESS COMMUNIQUE

It is notified for general information that the outstanding balance of **5.75% Karnataka SDL 2025** issued in terms of the Government of **Karnataka,** Finance Department Notification **No. FD 01 BMB 2020 Dated June 05, 2020** will be repaid at par on **June 10, 2025** with interest due up to and including **June 09, 2025.** In the event of a holiday being declared on the aforesaid date by any State Government under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, the loan will be repaid by the paying offices in that State on the previous working day. **No interest will accrue on the loan from and after June 10, 2025.**

2. As per sub-regulation 24 (2) and 24 (3) of Government Securities Regulations, 2007 payment of maturity proceeds to the registered holder of Government Security held in the form of Subsidiary General Ledger or Constituent Subsidiary General Ledger account or Stock Certificate shall be made by a pay order incorporating the relevant particulars of his bank account or by credit to the account of the holder in any bank having facility of receipt of funds through electronic means. For the purpose of making payment in respect of the securities, the original subscriber or the subsequent holders of such a Government Securities, as the case may be, shall submit to the Bank or Treasury and Sub Treasury or branch of State Bank of India, where they are enfaced / registered for payment of interest, as the case may be, the relevant particulars of their bank account.

3. However, in the absence of relevant particulars of bank account / mandate for receipt of funds through electronic means, to facilitate repayment on the due date, holders of **5.75% Karnataka SDL 2025** should tender their securities at the Public Debt Office, 20 days in advance. The securities should be tendered for repayment, duly discharged on the reverse there of as under:

"Received the Principal due on the Certificate".

4. It should be particularly noted that at places where the treasury work is done by a branch of the State Bank of India, the securities, if they are in the form of Stock Certificates, should be tendered at the branch of the bank concerned and not at the Treasury or Sub-Treasury.

5. Holders who wish to receive payment at places other than those where the securities have been enfaced for payment should send them duly discharged to the Public Debt Office concerned by Registered and Insured Post. The Public Debt Office will make payment by issuing a draft payable at any Treasury / Sub- Treasury or branch of State Bank of India conducting Government Treasury work in the State of **Karnataka.**

Sd/- (Dr. P.C Jaffer)
Secretary to Government
(Budget & Resources), Finance Department

DIPR/CP/582/Zen/2025-26

COLOMBO

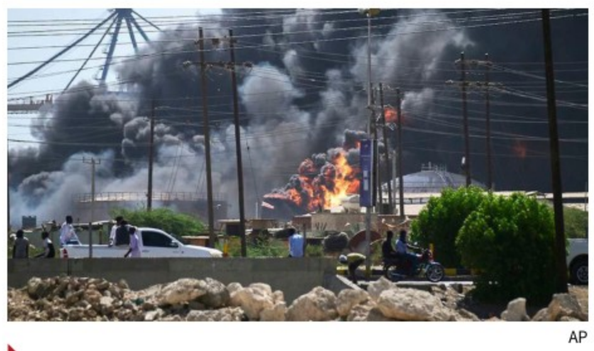
Sri Lanka helicopter crash kills six military personnel, six others hurt

AFP

A Sri Lankan Air Force Bell 212 helicopter crashed into Maduru Oya reservoir during a graduation ceremony on Friday, killing six of the 12 on board, including four special forces commandos and two gunners. The crash occurred during a grappling demonstration. Six others survived with minor injuries. A probe is under way. AFP

PORT SUDAN

Drone strikes continue to hit Port Sudan for sixth day, target key sites



AP

Drone strikes hit Port Sudan for a sixth consecutive day on Friday, targeting key sites including the international airport, fuel depots, and power station, causing a total blackout. The Sudanese army blamed the paramilitary Rapid Support Forces, who have been at war with the army since April 2023. AFP

MELBOURNE

Reducing student debt govt.'s first priority, says Australia's Albanese

REUTERS

Australian Prime Minister Anthony Albanese announced on Friday reducing student debt by 20% as the first legislative priority after Labour's election victory. The Bill will be introduced when Parliament resumes in late July, addressing young Australians' struggles with loans and housing affordability. AP

JERUSALEM

Israeli army says it intercepted missile launched from Yemen

AFP

Israel's military intercepted a missile launched from Yemen on Friday, following previous Houthi attacks including one on Israel's main airport. The missile triggered air raid sirens and delayed a flight at Ben Gurion airport. The Houthis, backed by Iran, continue targeting Israel despite ceasefire efforts. AFP

Putin hails troops in Ukraine as Xi, other leaders attend WW2 parade

Russian leader sat with Xi Jinping watching thousands of troops — some of whom fought in Ukraine — and an array of weapons, including new tanks and drones, at the Red Square parade; he also greeted heavily decorated N. Korean officers

Agence France-Presse
MOSCOW

Russian President Vladimir Putin vowed Moscow will be victorious in Ukraine as the Soviet Union was in WWII, rallying Russians to support troops at Moscow's grand Red Square military parade in front of his key allies on Friday.

Mr. Putin sat with China's Xi Jinping watching thousands of troops – some of whom fought in Ukraine – and an array of weapons, including new tanks and drones, by the Kremlin to mark the defeat of the Nazis.

Since launching the Ukraine offensive in 2022, Mr. Putin has evoked the Soviet war effort for his military campaign. Moscow's troops occupy a fifth of Ukraine and the three-year offensive killed thousands of people.

As Mr. Putin, Mr. Xi and some 20 other leaders were on Red Square, EU Ministers were in Ukraine's Lviv, expected to endorse the creation of a special tribunal to try Russia's top leadership.

Prideful moment: Russian servicemen attend the Victory Day military parade in Moscow on Friday, during celebrations of the 80th anniversary of the Soviet Union's victory over Nazi Germany. AP

"The whole country, society and people support the participants of the special military operation," Mr. Putin said, addressing the parade. "We are proud of their bravery and determination, of the fortitude that has always brought us only victory."

Russia has banned criticism of its offensive and hundreds of thousands of Russians have fled their country since.

Around 1,500 troops that had fought in Ukraine were among 11,000 marching on Red Square, state media reported.

For the first time, Russia showcased attack drones during the parade – including those used in Ukraine – alongside dozens of military vehicles. This is a contrast to previous years, when there were few tanks as most were at the front in Ukraine.

Mr. Putin also greeted heavily decorated North Korean officers on Red Square. Pyongyang sent thousands of troops to Russia to help Moscow oust Ukrainian troops from its Kursk region. "All the best to you and all your troops," he was heard saying.

Chinese troops took part in the parade, with Putin and Xi holding talks a day earlier.

Mr. Putin has long said that the Soviet Union and primarily Russia were the main victors in WWII and called his nation Friday the "heirs of victors". Mr. Putin and other foreign leaders laid wreaths at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in the Alexander Garden by the Kremlin walls. Slovak Prime Minister Robert Fico, who defied Brussels by going to Moscow, stood behind Mr. Putin.

Church must fight 'lack of faith', says Pope Leo XIV

Agence France-Presse
VATICAN CITY

Pope Leo XIV urged the Catholic Church to "desperately" counter a lack of faith in his first homily as Pope on Friday, a day after the modest cardinal largely unknown to the world become the first U.S. head of the 2,000-year institution.

Chicago-born Robert Francis Prevost on Thursday became the 267th Pope, spiritual leader of the world's 1.4 billion Catholics and successor to Argentina's Pope Francis, after a secret conclave by his fellow cardinals in the Vatican's Sistine Chapel.

In today's world, Pope Leo warned in his homily to assembled cardinals, there are places or situations where "it is not easy to preach the Gospel and bear witness to its truth, where believers are mocked, opposed, despised or at best tolerated and pitied".

Pope Leo XIV

"Yet, precisely for this reason, they are the places where our missionary outreach is desperately needed," said the new Pope, 69, standing at the Sistine Chapel altar with Michelangelo's famed fresco of "The Last Judgment" behind him.

In an apparent message to evangelical Christians, Pope Leo also warned that Jesus cannot be "reduced to a kind of charismatic leader or superman".

In an unscripted introduction to his homily in English, he also evoked a need to overcome divisions within the Church, telling his fellow cardinals: "I know I can rely on each and every one of you to walk with me".

Trump floats cutting China tariffs to 80% ahead of meeting

Associated Press
WASHINGTON

President Donald Trump on Friday floated cutting tariffs on China from 145% to 80% ahead of a weekend meeting among top U.S. and Chinese trade officials as he looks to de-escalate the trade war.

Top U.S. officials are set to meet with a high-level Chinese delegation in Switzerland in the first major talks between the two nations since Mr. Trump sparked a trade war with stiff tariffs on imports.

"80% Tariff on China seems right! Up to Scott B," Mr. Trump wrote on his social media account on Friday morning, referring to Scott Bessent, his Treasury chief, who has been a point person on trade.

Top U.S. officials are set to meet with a high-level Chinese delegation in Switzerland

Mr. Bessent and U.S. Trade Representative Jamieson Greer will meet with their counterparts in Geneva in the most-senior known conversations between the two countries in months, the Trump administration announced.

Regaining control

Strict watch: The Mehariste National Guard patrols Mauritania's Hodh Ech Chargui desert on camelback, securing the porous borders with Mali against jihadist threats. AFP

France to use Russia's frozen assets for Kyiv's defence

Agence France-Presse
LVIV

France will tap income from frozen Russian assets to help maintain some 60 French-made Caesar howitzers delivered to Ukraine, France's Foreign Minister Jean-Noël Barrot said on Friday.

The announcement came during a visit by EU Foreign Ministers to the western Ukrainian city of Lviv, where they approved the creation of a special tribunal to prosecute Russia's top leadership over the 2022 invasion of Ukraine.

Since the war started, the European Union and G-7 nations have frozen some 300 billion euros ($327 billion) in Russian Central Bank assets, according to the EU, as well as private assets like yachts and real estate.

During Friday's meeting, the EU's top diplomat Kaja Kallas said the bloc had pledged an additional one billion euros to strengthen Ukraine's defence industry.

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Notice Inviting Bid No. 03/2024-25, Corrigendum No. 04
Due to unavoidable circumstances bid submission date of this office NIT no. 03/2024-25 has extended and last date of submission has been made as date 12.05.2025. Other terms and conditions as per Tender Document.
UBN No: PHE2425WLOB07189

(Surendra Sharma)
Addl. Chief Engineer (P)
PHED Bharatpur, Rajasthan

OFFICE OF CHIEF ENGINEER (URBAN & NRW),
PUBLIC HEALTH ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT,
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S.No. 5318-58 **dated 30-04-25**

BID NOTICE

On behalf of the Governor of Rajasthan, PHED invites bids online in electronic format on **website http://eproc.rajasthan.gov.in**, from manufacturers for Procurement of ISI Marked Poly Aluminium Chloride conforming to IS 15573:2005, (Amended/revised up to date) For details please visit website **www.sppp.rajasthan.gov.in & http://eproc.rajasthan.gov.in**

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E-Procurement Tender Notice

S.No.	NIT No.	Name of the work
1	30/MAU61-ADMN0SD (VI)/20/2025-IFR1, Dated: 09-05-2025	Request for Proposal(RFP) - "Outsourcing of sanitation services including solid waste management in 19 Grama panchayats (Four Clusters) covered in CRDA Region (excluding 6 villages merged in Mangalagiri-Tadepalli Municipal Corporation) and also mechanized sweeping with 1No of Jatayu vehicles for a road length of 10 Km (VVIP Roads) from 5/2025 to 4/2028 (36 Months) on buy/hire, own & operate (BOO) basis".
2	27/Proc/MAU 61-ADMN0 STG (OTH) /1/ 2025-IFR, Dated: 09-05-2025	Request for Proposal(RFP) - "Tenders are invited for empanelment of companies / firms as edge one stop shop with edge auditors & edge experts for the certification and audit, for a period of three years".

The bid can be downloaded on AP e-procurement portal from **12.05.2025 to 27.05.2025 up to 14.00 Hrs.** Due date for submission of Bid is **27.05.2025 up to 15.00 Hrs,** Technical bid opening **27.05.2025 @16.00Hrs.** For further details Please refer to **www.apeprocurement.gov.in** and **www.crda.ap.gov.in**

Sd/- Commissioner, APCRDA, Vijayawada

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SEARCH COMMITTEE NOTIFICATION
APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHANCELLOR

The Government of Tamil Nadu vide G.O. (D) No.276, Higher Education (K1) Department, dated 13.12.2024 and as amended vide G.O. (D) No.88, Higher Education (K1) Department, dated 25.04.2025 have constituted a Search Committee to recommend a panel of three names to the Government for appointment of the Vice-Chancellor, Periyar University, Salem.

The Search Committee invites applications for the post of Vice-Chancellor, Periyar University, from distinguished academicians with the highest level of competence, integrity, moral and institutional commitment and possessing the educational qualifications and work experience as notified in 'The Periyar University Act,1997' (Tamil Nadu Act 45 of 1997) and vide G.O.(Ms)No. 187, Higher Education (K2) Department, dated 14.07.2017, copy of which is available in the Periyar University Website **https://periyaruniversity.ac.in**.

Interested candidates possessing the required qualifications and work experience may download the prescribed application format from the website of Periyar University. The filled in application shall be sent (only in the prescribed format) by e-mail in PDF format along with one hard copy sent by Registered / Speed post duly superscribing the envelope with **"Application for the post of the Vice-Chancellor, Periyar University, Salem"** so as to reach the Nodal Officer at the address given below on or before **05.00 p.m. on 10th June 2025.**

Dr. Ra. Ramesh
Nodal Officer of Periyar University Search Committee
Deputy Registrar
Tamil Nadu Open University
No. 577, Anna Salai, Saidapet
Chennai - 600 015.
e-mail: nodalofficer.periyaruniv@gmail.com

Applications received after publication of the notification in the website of Periyar University / newspaper alone will be considered. Applications in full or any additional information received after the closing time and date will not be entertained under any circumstances.

Place : Salem - 636 011.
Date : 10.05.2025 DIPR/478/Display/2025 **REGISTRAR (FAC)**

PKK says it reached 'historic' decisions, without confirmation on disbandment

Associated Press
ANKARA

A militant Kurdish group announced on Friday that it had made "historic" decisions during its long-awaited congress earlier this week. The group, however, stopped short of saying whether it had resolved to disband and disarm as part of a new peace initiative with Turkiye aimed at ending the four-decade insurgency.

The Kurdistan Workers' Party, or PKK, held a congress in two locations in northern Iraq between May 5-7, according to a statement carried by the *Firat News Agency*, a media organisation close to the banned group. The PKK said the historic decisions taken during the congress would be shared with the public soon.

Deadly conflict

In February, the PKK's jailed leader, Abdullah Ocalan, called on his group to convene a congress to dissolve itself and disarm to end the conflict that has claimed tens of thousands of lives since the 1980s.

The group is listed as a terrorist organisation by Turkiye and most Western states

The group, which is listed as a terrorist organisation by Turkiye and most Western states, announced a ceasefire days later but had set conditions to disband, including the establishment of a legal mechanism for peace talks.

During the congress, statements by Ocalan outlining his "perspectives and proposals" were read, according to *Firat News*.

Earlier, Turkiye's pro-Kurdish party, DEM, which is involved in the peace effort, said the Kurdistan Workers' Party could declare its decision "at any moment".

Macron, Tusk sign France-Poland treaty with defence clause

Agence France-Presse
NANCY

France and Poland on Friday signed a new cooperation and friendship treaty with a defence clause committing the parties to mutual support in case of an attack by an aggressor, as the two NATO and EU allies strengthen ties after Russia's invasion of Ukraine.

The treaty, similar to those already signed by France with Germany, Italy and Spain, was signed in the eastern French city of Nancy by French President Emmanuel Macron and Polish Prime Minister Donald Tusk.

Mr. Macron emphasised that one of the key aspects of the treaty was a clause on "mutual defence" while insisting this was in addition to the protections already offered by NATO and the EU.

SAFE ARRIVAL

Capitals and Kings players reach Delhi in special Vande Bharat train

SHASHI SHEKHAR KASHYAP

The Delhi Capitals and Punjab Kings players, support staff, commentators, production crew members and operations staff arrived at the Safdarjung Railway Station in New Delhi on Friday from Dharamshala in a special Vande Bharat train that was arranged at short notice.

NEW HIGH

Afsal breaks Jinson's 800m National record in Dubai

FILE PHOTO: RITU RAJ KONWAR

Mohamed Afsal broke Jinson Johnson's 800m National record, clocking 1:45.61s, in the World Athletics Continental Tour Bronze-level athletics meet in Dubai on Friday. Jinson's mark of 1:45.65 came in Guwahati in 2018. Asian Games silver medallist Afsal finished second, behind Kenya's Nicholas Kiplagat (1:45.38).

MIXED LUCK

Praggnanandhaa registers a win; Gukesh draws with Bogdan-Daniel

FILE PHOTO

Indian GMs R. Praggnanandhaa and D. Gukesh had mixed fortunes in the second round of the Superbet chess classic in Bucharest on Friday. While Praggnanandhaa outwitted Uzbekistan's Nodirbek Abdusattorov, World champion Gukesh had to be content with a draw against Deac Bogdan-Daniel, who was at his defensive best.

PASSING THE TEST

Alcaraz gets into cruise mode on return from injury layoff

REUTERS

Carlos Alcaraz returned from an injury layoff with a 6-3, 6-3 victory over Serbian qualifier Dusan Lajovic at the Italian Open in Rome on Friday. "The body felt great. I made a few sprints without pain. It was a test for me and I passed it," said Alcaraz. In the women's section, Aryna Sabalenka eased past Anastasia Potapova 6-2, 6-2.

Abrupt end: Thursday night's game between Kings and Capitals at Dharamshala was called off due to security reasons. R.V. MOORTHY

BCCI suspends IPL for one week amid mounting tension

Secretary Saikia reiterates the Board's commitment to the nation-first policy; should the tension ease on the border, the governing body is likely to reschedule the remaining matches at select venues in western and southern India

IPL-18

Amol Karhadkar
S. Dipak Ragav
MUMBAI/CHENNAI

The Indian Premier League (IPL) has been suspended for a week in the wake of mounting tension between India and Pakistan. The Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) made the announcement through a statement on Friday following a series of meetings with various stakeholders.

"Further updates regarding the new schedule and venues of the tournament will be announced in due course after a comprehensive assessment of the situation in consultation with relevant authorities and stakeholders," stated BCCI secretary Devajit Saikia.

"The decision was taken by the IPL Governing Council after due consultation with all key stakeholders following the representations from most of the franchisees, who conveyed the concern and sentiments of their players, and also the views of the broadcaster, sponsors and fans; while the BCCI reposes full faith in the strength and preparedness of our armed forces, the Board considered it prudent to act in the collective interest of all stakeholders."

Saluting the armed forces, Saikia in his statement reiterated the BCCI's commitment to the nation-first policy. "While cricket remains a national passion, there is nothing greater than the nation and its sovereignty, integrity and security. The BCCI remains firmly committed to support all efforts that safeguard India and will always align its decisions in the best interest of the nation."

The Hindu understands that following an abrupt end to Thursday night's game between Punjab Kings and Delhi Capitals at Dharamshala due to security reasons, a series of meetings were conducted between the BCCI officials and various stakeholders.

The BCCI hierarchy is in constant touch with the government agencies. A BCCI official, requesting anonymity, told *The Hindu* that should the tension ease on the border, the BCCI will prefer rescheduling the remaining IPL matches at select venues in western and southern India.

In all, 16 matches – including 12 league stage games and four playoffs – are to be played in IPL 2025.

However, the fate of Thursday night's game is yet to be decided. The official points table has been updated only till Wednesday's match.

No Kohli, no cricket: fans mourn IPL pause but stand with the nation

Cheers to chants: Although the disappointment of the suspension was evident, fans at the Ekana Stadium raised patriotic slogans. SANDEEP SAXENA

N. Sudarshan
LUCKNOW

After the BCCI suspended the Indian Premier League in view of the heightened tensions between India and Pakistan, cricket fans who had assembled for Friday's Royal Challengers Bengaluru-Lucknow Super Giants clash at the Ekana Stadium here were left a disappointed lot.

Though all fans whom *The Hindu* spoke to were in agreement with the decision to cancel the matches in "national interest", the tinge of sadness was inescapable. Supporters numbering more than 200 - mainly of RCB and Virat Kohli - had arrived from far flung places in Uttar Pradesh as early as noon, undeterred by the blistering summer sun.

"I paid ₹5000 for one ticket and wanted to watch Kohli," said Shubham from Gorakhpur. "But I had expected something like this would happen because the points table was not updated after the Punjab Kings - Delhi Capitals match on Thursday. But it's fine. They had no choice but to cancel. I just hope the same tickets are valid whenever the tournament restarts."

Pavan Kumar, a local merchandise seller, had started putting up his temporary stall as early as 11.30 a.m. But that was also when news first started filtering in that the IPL could be stalled.

"I thought I would make some decent money selling Kohli shirts because he is the most popular. But now it won't happen. I am not even sure when the tournament restarts, RCB will come and play here," Pavan lamented.

Interestingly, Lucknow is not new to last-minute cancellation of cricket matches. In March 2020, the India versus South Africa ODI was called off owing to the onset of Covid-19.

Manoj from Prayagraj claimed that this year's IPL could have been saved if the Punjab - Delhi match on Thursday had been cancelled well in advance and all fixtures moved to interior locations in India.

"It is not like Kohli comes to Lucknow everyday. Ever since LSG was formed, we cricket fans here have been very happy that we can watch famous players. Sadly, we can neither watch them live now nor on the TV," he regretted.

Unnati and Ayush move into the last-four stage

BADMINTON

Press Trust of India
TAIPEI

Young Indian shuttlers Ayush Shetty and Unnati Hooda continued to impress at the Taipei Open Super 300 badminton tournament, beating their respective rivals in tough three-game contests to progress to the men's and women's singles semifinals here on Friday.

Unnati and Ayush. FILE PHOTOS: K. MURALI KUMAR

Battling hard

Taking the court first, Unnati, the 2022 Odisha Masters and 2023 Abu Dhabi Masters champion, fought hard for 52 minutes to get the better of local shuttler Hung Yi-Ting 21-8, 19-21, 21-19 in the women's quarterfinals.

Earlier, the 17-year-old Indian, ranked 53rd in the world compared to her opponent's 65th, made short work of another Taipei shuttler Lin Sih Yun 21-12, 21-7 in the round of 16.

She will next face top seed Tomoka Miyazaki of Japan. The Japanese beat Hsiang Lin of Taipei 17-21, 21-8, 21-17 in another quarterfinal.

Exciting contest

The 20-year-old Ayush, a 2023 World junior championships bronze medallist who defeated K. Srikanth in the second round, shocked Canada's seventh seed Brian Yang 16-21, 21-19, 21-14 in a contest that lasted one hour and 11 minutes.

The rising Indian, who had stunned the All-England Championships runner-up Lee Chia Hao in the opening round, will take on the top seed Chou Tien Chen of Chinese Taipei.

The results (quarterfinals):
Men:
Ayush Shetty bt Brian Yang (Can) 16-21, 21-19, 21-14.
Women: Unnati Hooda bt Hung Yi-Ting (Tpe) 21-8, 19-21, 21-19.

Neeraj Chopra Classic put off until further notice

ATHLETICS

Ashwin Achal
BENGALURU

The inaugural Neeraj Chopra Classic, which was scheduled to be held at the Sree Kanteerava Stadium here on May 24, has been postponed until further notice in the wake of rising tensions between India and Pakistan.

"In light of the current situation, the inaugural edition of the NC Classic stands postponed until further notice.

"This decision has been made after careful thought and consultation, with the well-being of athletes, stakeholders, and the broader community as the top priority.

Critical moment

"We believe in the unifying power of sport. But, in this critical moment, standing firm with the nation matters most.

Disappointing: The elite javelin event, set to be held in Bengaluru on May 24, has been rescheduled. FILE PHOTO: RITU RAJ KONWAR

"All our gratitude and thoughts at this point are only with our Armed Forces, who are at the forefront for our nation.

"A revised schedule for the NC Classic will be provided in due course," read a statement from the organisers.

The event was set to witness the world's best javelin throwers, including Neeraj Chopra, in action.

Salunkhe stuns Gazoz and Je Deok on way to semifinals

ARCHERY

Sports Bureau

Parth Salunkhe stunned Olympics and World championships medallists Mete Gazoz and Kim Je Deok on his way to the recurve men's individual semifinals at the Archery World Cup Stage-2 in Shanghai on Friday.

Deepika Kumari, who beat Olympics silver medallist Li Jiaman, reached the women's semifinals.

The results:

Individual: Recurve: Men: B. Dhiraj lost to Abdullah Yildirmis (Tur) 6-5 (shoot-off: 10-9) (first round); Atanu Das bt Christian Stoddard (USA) 7-3 (first round), bt Kwok Yin Chai (Hkg) 7-1 (second round), bt Wang Yan (Chn) 6-4 (third round), lost to Kim Woo Jin (Kor) 6-2 (quarterfinals); Parth Salunkhe bt Mete Gazoz (Tur) 6-5 (10-9) (first round), bt Aoshima Tetsuya (Jpn) 6-5 (10-8) (second round), Ryan Tyack (Aus) 6-2 (pre-quarterfinals), bt Kim Je Deok (Kor) 6-2 (quarterfinals); Tarundeep Rai lost to Tetsuya 6-5 (9*-9, closer to centre) (first round).

Women: Ankita Bhakat bt Karina Kozlowska (Pol) 6-0 (first round), bt Huyen Diep Trieu (Vie) 6-0 (second round), lost to Lim Sihyeon (Kor) 7-3 (pre-quarterfinals); Deepika Kumari bt Lucia Ibanez Romero (Spn) 6-4 (first round), Diana Tursunbek (Kaz) 6-0 (second round), bt Victoria Sebastian (Fra) 6-4 (pre-quarterfinals), bt Li Jiaman (Chn) 6-2 (quarterfinals); Anshika Kumari lost to Elisa Tartler (Ger) 6-5 (10-9) (first round); Simranjeet Kaur lost to Uehara Ruka (Jpn) 7-3 (first round).

Mixed Team: Recurve: India (Deepika, Dhiraj) got a bye (first round), lost to Spain 5-1 (pre-quarterfinals); **Compound:** India (Madhura Dhamangaonkar, Abhishek Verma) got a bye (first round), bt Singapore (pre-quarterfinals), bt USA 160-158 (quarterfinals), lost to Grain Britain 158-156 (semifinals), to meet Malaysia in bronze medal match.

INBRIEF

FWA Player of the Year awards for Salah, Russo

Mohamed Salah won the Football Writers' Association Player of the Year award for the third time on Friday after inspiring Liverpool's march to a record-equalling 20th English title. Salah secured almost 90 percent of the football writers' votes, marking the biggest winning margin this century. Alessia Russo became the second Arsenal player to land the women's award as the striker finished ahead of last year's winner Khadija Shaw.

Rajeshwari shoots 68 in three rounds at shotgun World Cup

Rajeshwari Kumari shot 68 out of 75 following rounds of 23, 22, 23 in women's trap at the shotgun World Cup in Nicosia, Cyprus, on Friday. While Rajeshwari found herself in the 17th spot after three rounds, Sabeera Haris (66) and Kirti Gupta (66) were in the 27th and 32nd spots respectively. In men's trap, Olympian Kynan Chenai shot two rounds of 24 each, while Bhowneesh Mendiratta and Shardul Vihan shot 45 out of 50 in two rounds.

Jaiswal makes a u-turn, wants to continue for Mumbai

India opener Yashasvi Jaiswal has requested the Mumbai Cricket Association (MCA) to allow him to remain with the domestic giant, a month after asking for a No Objection Certificate (NOC) to switch to Goa. In April, Jaiswal surprised everyone by writing to the MCA to seek its approval for a shock move to Goa. MCA too had swiftly approved Jaiswal's request. "I the undersigned would request your goodself to consider my request in withdrawing my NOC given to me as I had some family plans in shifting to Goa which for now has been curtailed," Jaiswal wrote.

Pacquiao to come out of retirement and fight Barrios

Iconic Filipino boxing star Manny Pacquiao will end his four-year retirement to fight Mario Barrios for his WBC welterweight title, ESPN reported on Thursday. Unidentified sources said the fight would be contested in Las Vegas, July 19.

Man United sets up Europa League title clash with Tottenham

The Red Devils ease past Athletic Bilbao while the Spurs coast against Bodo / Glimt; it's Chelsea versus Betis in Conference League final

Clean hit: Mount opens the account for United with this strike. REUTERS

FOOTBALL

Associated Press
MANCHESTER

For Manchester United or Tottenham, a miserable campaign will end in Europa League glory.

Despite both teams languishing in the bottom half of the Premier League, the Champions League is now just one game away.

That's the reward on offer after the two troubled English clubs advanced to the final of Europe's second-tier competition on Thursday.

United beat Athletic Bilbao 4-1 in the semifinal second leg at Old Trafford and won 7-1 on aggregate. Tottenham won 2-0 away at Bodo / Glimt to seal a 5-1 aggregate victory.

It sets up an all-English Europa League final for the second time in six years after Chelsea beat Arsenal to lift the trophy in 2019.

United came back from 1-0 down against Bilbao, with Mason Mount coming off the bench to score twice in the second half. Casemiro and Rasmus Hojlund were also on target.

Dominic Solanke and Pedro Porro struck for Tottenham against Bodo / Glimt in Norway.

The final is in Bilbao on May 21. Spurs won all three of the previous encounters – twice in the league and also in the English League Cup.

Chelsea, meanwhile, will play Real Betis in the final of the UEFA Conference League.

Chelsea advanced with a 5-1 on aggregate win against Djurgarden – winning the second leg 1-0 through Kiernan Dewsbury-Hall's goal.

In the other semifinal, Betis drew 2-2 away at Fiorentina after extra time and won 4-3 on aggregate.

The results (semifinal, second leg): Europa League: Bodo / Glimt 0 lost to Tottenham 2 (Solanke 63, Porro 69) (*Tottenham won 5-1 on aggregate*); Manchester United 4 (Mount 72, 90+1, Casemiro 80, Hojlund 85) bt Athletic Bilbao 1 (Jaureguizar 31) (*United won 7-1 on aggregate*). **Final:** May 21, Bilbao.

Conference League: Fiorentina 2 (Gosens 34, 42) drew with Real Betis 2 (Antony 30, Ezzalzouli 97) (*after extra time, Betis won 4-3 on aggregate*); Chelsea 1 (Dewsbury-Hall 38) bt Djurgarden 0 (*Chelsea won 5-1 on aggregate*). **Final:** May 28, Wroclaw.

Newcastle takes on Chelsea with CL spot on the line

PREMIER LEAGUE

Agence France-Presse
LONDON

Chelsea's Maresca and Newcastle's Howe. REUTERS

Newcastle and Chelsea meet in a crucial clash in the race to qualify for the Champions League on Sunday while Trent Alexander-Arnold's reception from Liverpool fans will be closely watched after his decision to quit the Premier League champion.

Newcastle, sitting fourth, faces fifth-placed Chelsea at St James' Park in a match with huge ramifications in the fight for top five places.

Eddie Howe's team is above Chelsea on goals scored and victory on Sunday would be a massive boost in its bid to reach the Champions League for a second time in three seasons.

With two matches left for both teams after this weekend, Newcastle will be within touching distance of qualification if it wins, while Chelsea would be left hoping that sixth-placed Nottingham Forest, currently two points behind the Blues, slips up against lowly Leicester.

"I've said many times, I think that's all you can ask for: that it's in your hands and you're not reliant on other teams and looking elsewhere," Howe said.

"We've got three really tough games. They're not going to be easy, but they're games to relish and enjoy."

Trent Alexander-Arnold could face a mixed reception from Liverpool fans if he features in Sunday's game against Arsenal at Anfield.

It will be the champions' first match since Alexander-Arnold confirmed on Monday that he plans to leave Liverpool when his contract expires in June.

The England right-back had been widely expected to announce his exit after months of speculation over a likely move to Real Madrid.

KARNATAKA ROUND-UP

Meghalaya beats Karnataka

BENGALURU: Meghalaya defeated Karnataka 1-0 in the quarterfinals of the Swami Vivekananda under-20 men's national football championship in Chhattisgarh on Friday.
The result: Meghalaya 1 (Ricky Kharkongor 4) bt Karnataka 0.

Amartya shines for Mandya District

Amartya scored 22 points to help Mandya District defeat Bharath SU 73-66 in the State 'B' division men's basketball championship on Friday.
The results: Mandya District 73 (Amartya 22, Hanoch 17, Shashank Gowda 14) bt Bharath SU 66 (Akshay Prasad 20, Kanishka 19).
Vimanapura SC 79 (Rakshan 23, Ponappa 17, Rahul 12) bt Rajmahal BC 74 (Sivarenjan 21, Shishir 17, Vignesh 16).
IBBC 84 (Karan Aiyappa 27, Yashas 22) bt Bangalore Sporting 53 (Ayush 13, Nikhil 10).
GST & Customs 77 (Naveen 21, Adarsh 12) bt Koramangala SC 43 (Priyanshu 14, Karan 11).

BTM FC has it easy against DYES

BTM FC crushed DYES FC 7-0 in the BDFA 'A' division football league championship here on Friday.
The results: DFA 'A' division: Bangalore Dream United FC 4 (Jai Hari Barman 59, 71, 80, Mirav Navin Khabiya 63) bt Income Tax FC 1 (K.S. Akshay 38); BTM FC 7 (Puiringshang Khodang 16, 53, Aayush David Koshy 26, 30, Nakshatra Jain 40, M. Mugilan 84, H.R. Themngam 90) bt DYES FC 0.
BDFA 'C' division: Vinayaka FC bt Bharath Matha FC 11-0.

Big win for Herons

Herons thrashed Panthers Cricket Academy by 144 runs in the Tiger Cup under-12 tournament here on Friday.
The scores: Herons 239/8 in 28 overs (Chayank Reddy 56, Aayush Patil 50, Kavin 36, Samridh Karthikeyan 26, Mohammed Ziyan 4/28) bt Panthers Crickets Academy 95 in 27 overs (Shourya 27).
CBT 257/5 in 30 Overs (B.N. Partha 68, Vihaan Sharma 60, Aarav 42, Bharathan Mohan 40, A. Anav 3/45) bt The School of Cricket 112 in 26.3 overs (V.G. Ayush 42, Shyam Singh 32, B.N. Partha 3/11, Ram Punj 3/16).
Play Smart 262/5 in 28 overs (S. Diganth 115, Pranjal 64, Sourav 35) bt Just Cricket Academy 216/4 in 28 overs (Viaan Kishwan 83, VP. Shaurya Sagar 71, N. Vibhav 29).

LIVE TELECAST

Bundesliga: Sony Sports Ten 2 (SD & HD) & LIV, 7 & 10 p.m.
Premier League: SS Select 1, 2 (SD & HD) & JioHotstar, 7.30 & 10 p.m.

Girona coach Michel hospitalised

Associated Press
BARCELONA

Girona coach Michel Sanchez was hospitalised for undisclosed medical reasons, the manager said on Friday. Michel said in a post on social media that he had to be "hospitalised and under observation for some days." That means he won't be available for Saturday's home game against Villarreal.

Neither Michel nor the club specified his medical condition.

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